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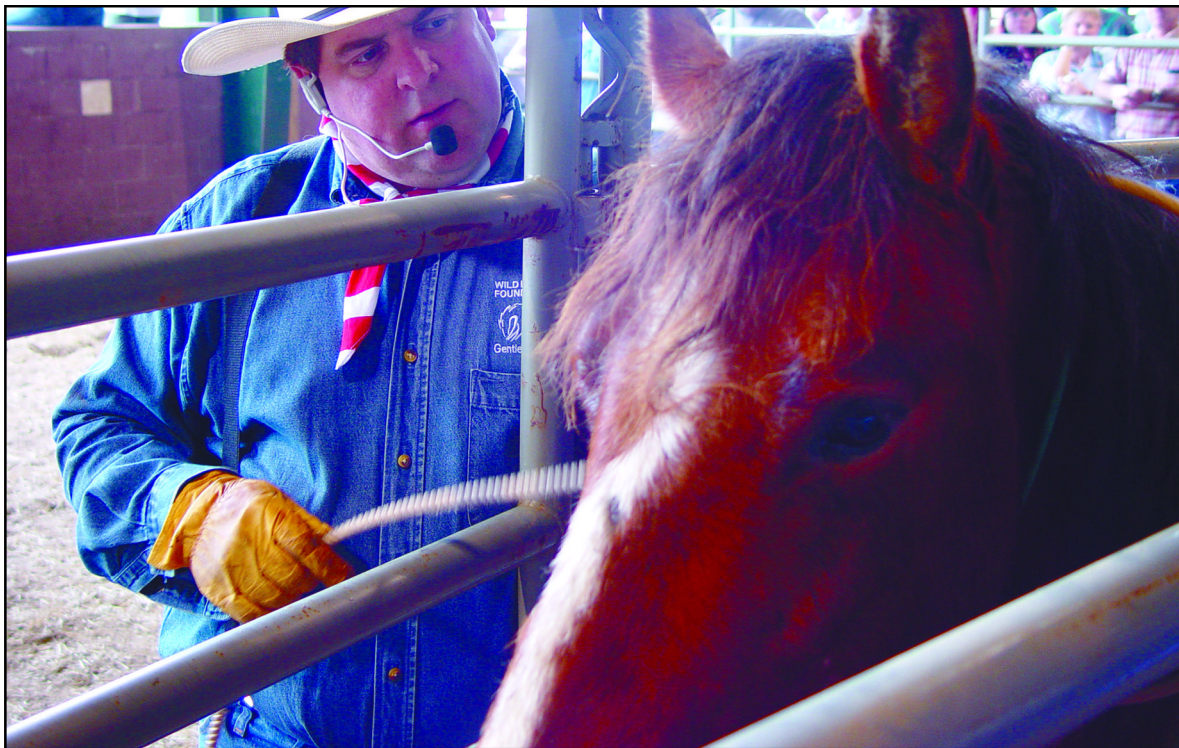
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Kinder, gentler approach taught at horse adoption



Ray Field, executive director of the Wild Horse Foundation, teaches gentling techniques at the Wild Horse and Burro auction at the Lamar-Dixon Expo Center in Gonzales recently. Many of the 250 people looking to adopt a horse seemed to favor those with unusual coloring.



Western horses find La. homes

There was a time not long ago when breaking a horse to bridle and saddle meant riding a bucking, raging animal to exhaustion on the theory that once you broke his body his spirit would soon follow.

Many horse owners have adopted a kinder, gentler attitude in recent years.

It's an approach Ray Field of Franklin, Texas, strongly endorses.

"The cliché about breaking horses from the old cowboy days was they'd put the horse in the pen, they'd sack him out, cover his eyes, throw a saddle on him and then they'd just ride him until he was broken down," Field said.

"Well theories have changed, times have changed. We gentle horses now to make them rideable."



At the recent horse and burro adoption conducted by the federal Bureau of Land Management (BLM) at the Lamar-Dixon Expo Center in Gonzales, Field demonstrated the beginning steps of gentling a wild horse.

Field started with a rope around the neck, carefully placed, talking in soothing tones all the while. Later
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Agriculture & Forestry Today with Commissioner Bob Odom

Louisiana animal health officials are reminding poultry owners and producers that Exotic Newcastle Disease, END, is continuing to spread east from California. A state quarantine remains in place on all poultry and poultry products, including eggs, from any state or federal END quarantined area.

Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Bob Odom said the United States Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services confirmed in April that two counties in Texas and three counties in New Mexico have been quarantined because of END. The counties are El Paso and Hudspeth in Texas, and Dona Ana, Luna and

Otero in New Mexico.

The disease was first confirmed in California last fall. More than 16,000 premises have been quarantined in California and nearly 3.5 million birds have been destroyed in that state as part of infection control measures.

"It is imperative that people remember that the Louisiana's quarantine on poultry and poultry products from affected areas remains in place," Odom said. "We cannot allow birds that have been exposed to END to enter the state and threaten Louisiana's \$610 million poultry industry."

Since END started ravaging poultry flocks in California late last

year, the Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry has stepped up efforts to prevent the disease from spreading to the state. Odom sent letters and END fact sheets to all participants in poultry programs, poultry association members, county agents, zoo directors, bird veterinarians, hunting clubs, commercial poultry companies and others involved in the poultry industry.

The department is also launching a surveillance testing program to help monitor the health status of Louisiana birds and poultry flocks. Animal health officials will take samples from birds participating in avian and poultry events around the

state. The Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory at LSU is assisting by taking samples from dead birds submitted for West Nile virus testing. All of the samples will be tested for END at the National Veterinary Services Laboratory in Ames, Iowa.

"The more information we get out to people in the poultry industry and the more aggressive we are in monitoring for this disease, the more we reduce our risk of getting END in Louisiana," Odom said. "We started by contacting key groups in the industry and fanned out from there. We are also using the department's Web site as a resource for posting information."

Featured on the Web site is an END fact sheet in English, Spanish, French, Tagalog and Vietnamese. The fact sheet includes a list of clinical signs and symptoms of END and methods for preventing its spread.

Also on the Web site are two USDA flyers that can be downloaded and printed out for poultry workers. The "Good Neighbors Protect Poultry" flyer addresses ways to stop the spread of poultry diseases and is also available in a Spanish language version. The "How Poultry Disease Spreads" flyer gives a diagram of the transmission of poultry diseases from farm
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People crowd the rails as the horses were brought into the arena. Burros from the western mountain ranges (above right) made up 25 of the animals available at the BLM's Wild Horse and Burro Adoption. Auctioneer Marvin Henderson (above) of Henderson Auctions in Livingston kept up a rapid-fire delivery as he moved the animals to their new homes. Some of the 250 attending the auction get their instructions on requirements for successful bidding.

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would follow a halter with subsequent phases eventually leading to bridle, blanket and saddle.

It's not a quick process. Field, co-founder and executive director of the Wild Horse Foundation, subcontracts for the horse and burro adoptions with the BLM.

His job is teaching the techniques of gentling horses.

"At the foundation we do it in a 60 to 90 day process. Yes, it demands patience but the rewards are so much greater. For the average individual here today who adopts a wild horse all they need is 15 minutes a day.

"Don't get in a rush. He's not going anywhere," Field said. "Horses are very forgiving. If you make a mistake, back up. But always leave your horse on a positive note. If the horse is frustrated, go back to something that you know he can do, that he likes. Always work with your horse relaxed."

About 85 wild horses and 25 burros were available for adoption in Gonzales recently. Some 250 folks were in the crowd looking mostly for recreational

animals for their kids and themselves. The horses and burros all have a health certificate and have had a series of vaccinations and a freeze brand.

Bidding starts at \$125. Some of the animals on this day go for as much as \$550. Field said at some BLM adoptions horses have gone for as high as \$1800.

Bidders sign up at the beginning of the adoption process. The requirements are that a bidder must be at least 18 years old. The horse training area must be at least 400 square feet with a six-foot-tall fence made of non-intrusive material, normally wood or metal.

Once the horse is gentled it can be turned out to pasture. The BLM owns the horse for the first year in its new home, the reason the process is called an adoption and not an auction or sale. The bureau sends out compliance officers to check on the animals during the first six months. At the end of the year, if the checks are satisfactory, the title transfer is completed.

The horse adoption process is part of the federal program to eliminate range overcrowding in the West. On this day

the animals were mostly from Wyoming, Field said.

"The horses and burros come from along the mountain ranges of any of a dozen Midwestern states. This particular group came out of Wyoming. They come from all over, from the desert areas of the Midwest to the pine-covered forests. There may be plenty of forest in those areas but little grass for them to graze on where wildfires and droughts have taken a toll on grazing land."

Color seemed to sell. The favorites were the whites, grays, roans, and mottled horses. The standard brown horse often didn't sell. The policy when a horse does not sell is to put that animal in a "buddy" corral. At the end of the day, anyone who has adopted a horse at a bid price can then purchase a horse that didn't sell for \$25.

For information on gentling materials and classes, Field can be reached at grfield@wildhorsefoundation.org or (866) 943-6863. For information on future adoptions or other wild horse information, the BLM site is www.wild-horseandburro.blm.gov.



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to farm. It is also available in a Spanish version.

State Veterinarian Dr. Maxwell Lea and Assistant State Veterinarian Dr. Martha Littlefield are also promoting

END awareness statewide by making presentations to the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine, the Board of Directors of the Louisiana Veterinary Medical Association and other groups.

More information about END is available at the department's Web site, www.ldaf.state.la.us. Links for fact sheets and flyers are posted in the upper right corner of the main page.

Beef-forage short course set for June 6-7 in Alexandria

The 2003 Louisiana Beef-Forage Short Course will be held June 6-7 at the LSU Alexandria campus and the LSU AgCenter's Dean Lee Research Station. The two-day event begins at 10 a.m. Friday and continues through 1 p.m. Saturday.

Topics and presenters include: Clover Management - Dr. Gerald Evers, Texas A&M University; Internal and External Parasite Control - Alvin Loyacano and Dr. Lane Foil, LSU AgCenter; Synchronization of Estrus and Artificial Insemination of Beef Cattle - Dr. Ron Del Vecchio, LSU AgCenter, and Darrin Goodwin, McNeese State University; Bahia Grass Management - Dr. Buddy Pitman, LSU AgCenter; Defining a Stocker Program and Selection of Stocker Cattle - Russ Gould, Mississippi Cattle Producer; and The Beef Industry-Where We Are and Where Are We Going? - Dr. Bill Mies,

Emerge Interactive.

There will also be a trade show during the Short Course. Specific times have been designated on Friday and Saturday for visiting the trade show booths. Inside and outside spaces are available for exhibitors to display their products. Anyone interested in participating as a trade show exhibitor should contact Paul Morris at (318) 256-3406.

The Louisiana Beef-Forage Short Course is a collaborative effort between the LSU AgCenter, McNeese State University and the Louisiana Cattlemen's Association. Copies of the complete agenda and registration forms can be obtained from local county agents' offices or from the AgCenter's livestock Web site at: <http://www.louisianalivestock.org/beef/beefcattle.htm>. Look under "News & Events" and click on 2003 Beef Forage Short Course.

CATTLE

No grade sires listed in the interest of better livestock. All dairy cattle 20 mos. of age, beef cattle 24 mos. of age, or pastured or post pastured animals of any age offered for sale, except for immediate slaughter, must have valid 30-day negative brucellosis test certificate. Contact La. Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry, P.O. Box 1951, Baton Rouge, La. 70821-1951.

REMINDER: Have all of your heifer calves between four and 12 months of age vaccinated against brucellosis. For information contact your local veterinarian, LDAF animal health personnel, your parish Cattlemen's Association or parish Farm Bureau.

Limousin bulls & heifers, reg. polled, dbl. blk., ready for spring breeding, A-1 sire, great EPD's, heavy muscle, \$1200/1-up. Terry Fox, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 364-4241.

Reg. Char., (2) 3/N/1's, w/4 mo. calf, \$1500/each; (3) cow & 1 mo. calf, \$1300/each; (1) heavy bred heifer, \$1200/each; (1) 36 mo., bull, sired by Prime Cut, \$2000, or deal for whole herd. Wade Richey, Carencro, 70520; (337) 886-2739.

Reg. Limousin bull, fb, 14 mos., good EPD's, gentle, \$1200. Wayne Smith, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-2473.

Pb reg. Char., polled, gentle, weaned bull calves, \$500/1-up; cows w/bull calves, \$1000. Ron Harvey, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 405-7856.

(9) Reg. Brangus bulls, 2 yrs., semen tested, gentle, good bloodlines, \$1250-\$1400. Ronald J. Chiasson, LaRose, 70373; (985) 695-7218.

Reg. pb Char. bulls, 10 mos., 14 mos., \$750-\$1000. Anthony Pitt, Scott, 70583; (337) 232-2452.

Piedmontese/Angus calves, \$500/1. Jess Crosier, Cade, 70519; (337) 365-6754.

(1) 18 mo., pb Brangus bull, approx. 1150 lbs., very clean, \$1000. Tommy Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6537.

Hereford bulls for sale, (2) reg. Herefords, \$2500/1; (1) Hereford bull, \$1000, bulls are all excel. cond. Joe Tantillo, Albany, 70711; (985) 419-0960 or (985) 974-1923.

Reg. Red Angus, '01 bull yrlgs. 100%, LBW, EPD, Logan bloodline, \$900/1. Joe Bailey, Leesville, 71446; (337) 463-8080.

Pb Char. bull, 5 yrs., good breeder, gentle, \$1000. Vince Larussa, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4571.

Brangus bull, 13 mos., sire and mother cow on premises, \$725. Ronald Picou, French Settlement, 70733; (225) 698-9463.

Reg. Limousin bulls, dbl. polled & blk., good disp., ready for breeding, \$850/1-up. Randy Melancon, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 685-4029.

BBU Beefmaster bulls, red, gentle, pasture wise, good bloodlines, clean lines, 16 mos., \$775/1. Freddie Carter, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-4368.

Reg. polled red Brangus bull, 6 yrs., w/papers, gentle, good shape,

\$1000. Bobby Richard, Sunset, 70584; (337) 684-70584; (337) 684-2294.

Reg. Beefmaster cattle, open heifers, \$650/1-up; bred heifers & cows, \$900/1-up. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

(10) F1 Brangus heifers, exposed to polled Hereford bull, \$800/1, if all taken. Larry Hornsby, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-3772.

Brangus bull, Cadence of Brinks x Miss Brinks Lodge, LBW, high wean wt. & yrlg. wt., milk EPD's, good disp., 4 yrs., calves to show, \$1900. John Mailhes, Keithville, 71047; (318) 925-0898.

Reg. polled Herefords bulls, bloodlines include Summit 30E, Endurance 745, Fortress 48D, Pringle, Hudson, \$1000/1-up. David Williams, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 932-4482.

Reg. red herd Limousin bull, 1600 lbs., 4 ½ yrs., calves to show, very gentle, \$1200, cash. C. Craig Baker, 70714; (225) 261-2796.

Angus bull, 4 yrs., \$1600; (3) Char. bulls, 3-4 yrs., \$1200-\$1800; Brangus bull, 2 ½ yrs., \$1200. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge, 70808; (225) 766-2363.

Reg. 8 mo. Limousin bulls, a positive imprint in your program, excel., background & EPD's, \$600/1. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (985) 209-0026.

(1) Reg. 13 mo. Brangus bull, very nice, on feed & grass, very gentle, will guarantee breeding soundness at time of purchase, \$1100. Gary Aucoin, Mamou, 70535; (337) 457-7262 or (337) 363-5634.

(10) Reg. Char. heifers, 12 mos., fancy, gentle, good numbers, certified herd, \$750/all. Stanley L. Lemoine, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 659-7088.

Reg. Char. bulls, ready for service, gentle, big, stout, clean & tested, Big Sky & Budsmydad breeding, cert. herd, \$1500/1-up; reg. Char. heifers, 24 mos., open, ready to breed, gentle, cert. herd, \$9500/10. Walter Lemoine, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-7939.

Reg. Angus bull, 27 mos., Hoff High Flyer & Rito 2RT2 breeding, excel. wean. & yrlg. wts., good EPD's, \$2100. Drew Hall, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 261-2996.

(2) Reg. Angus bulls, 13 & 14 mos., LSU performance tested, index 115 & 98, \$1500/1. John Soileau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2903 or (337) 789-9443.

Reg. blk. Angus bull, 26 mos., AI sired, fertility tested, \$2000. Dale Cambre, Port Vincent, 70726; (225) 368-4560 or (225) 698-9428.

Reg. Holstein cow, daughter of Tesk, \$900/1. L. Champagne, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-3389.

Char. bulls, LBW, high weaning, \$1000/1-up. Ron Fuqua, Effie, 71351; (318) 253-4682.

Reg. polled Char. heifers, 8-9 mos., \$675/1-up; reg. yrlg. bulls, \$800/1-up. Louis Quave, Bush, 70431; (985) 886-5557 or Peter Feringa, Covington, 70433; (985) 871-0317.

Reg. polled Char. bulls, 1 yr., grandsons of HBR program Z97 P, 2002 multi-trait leader, excel.

EPD's & disp., \$800. Joel Pigott, Pearl River, 70452; (985) 863-5008.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 13-26 mos., pasture cond., EPD's avail., AI sired by 9440-EXT-2418, \$1000-\$2250. Mark LeJeune, Elton, 70532; (337) 526-3520.

Braford heifers, bred to Brangus bulls, \$750/1; (2) Brangus bulls, 2 yrs., \$1250/1; (6) 3 yrs., \$1500. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 17-20 mos., 1285-1600 lbs., quality selection, all performance data, developed on pasture & forage, \$1475-\$2700. Zachary Comeaux, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-9296 or (337) 873-6948.

(1) 4-H pb Hereford bull, 9 yrs., \$1000; (1) 4-H reg. Brangus bull, 6 yrs., \$1200; (3) 4-H reg. Brangus bulls, 1 yr., \$650/1-up. John Danos, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-3358.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 2/99 tested breeder, \$2000. Charles George, Mansfield, 71052; (318) 872-5730.

(25) Blk. cross bred heifers, (25) Braford heifers, all exposed to Angus bull, \$700/1; (5) cross bred cows, w/calves, \$725. Johnny Gaudet, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 898-1699.

Reg. Simm. & Simbrah bulls, polled, solid colors, wormed, all shots, very gentle, 8 mos.-2 yrs., \$550-\$1150/1. Harold Landreneau, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-0505.

Reg. red Brangus bull, w/papers, 6 yrs., gentle, good shape, \$1000. Bobby Richard, Sunset, 70584; (337) 684-2294.

Reg. red Angus show bull, 2 yrs., place second in state, top bloodline, \$2000; bred cows, \$1200-\$1500/1. Jimmie Ortego, Carencro, 70520; (337) 234-6313 or (337) 896-7551.

(25) Braford type heifers, avg. 600 lbs., \$600/1, if all taken. Mark Broussard, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6784.

(2) Pb Char. heifers, 7 mos. & 11 mos., \$1050/both; (3) young, polled, pb, Char., you pick, \$800/1. Elvin Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2079.

Blk. reg. Simm. bulls, large & thick, from sound AI breeding program, \$1250/1-up. Gene Strother, Amite, 70456; (985) 747-0789 or (985) 969-6005.

(3) Holstein heifers, topline bred, (1) Guernsey heifer, (1) Holstein heifer to calve in May 2003, \$750/1. Sam McDonald, Sugartown, 70662; (337) 328-8886.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, Rito, Thrust & Fix-It bloodlines, \$1000/1-up. Arthur Freeman, Columbia, 71418; (318) 649-5863.

Reg. Char. bulls, 8 mos.-28 mos., multiple trait leader, King Grazer bloodline, polled, very gentle, \$1000-\$2500. G. Perron, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-5272.

4 yr. reg. Brangus bull, gentle disp., good EPDs, \$2000. Duane Landreneau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-0318 or pager (337) 341-0063.

Reg. blk. Angus bull, \$800. Paul Harrison, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-7780.

Reg. blk. Angus heifer, \$500. Clinton Breland, Angie, 70426; (985) 848-9213.

(2) Reg. Brangus bulls, (1) 4 yrs., own son of Update CCR314C, \$1600; 1-3 yr., Gunner of Brinks breeding, \$1600, both gentle. Tim Holdeman, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-8000.

Coastal raised for coastal trade, polled & horned Hereford bulls, heifers & pairs, all ages, \$850-\$1650. Harold Loewer, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

Reg. pb, solid blk. Simm bull, dbl. polled, dbl. blk., son Jackpot, 3 yrs., easy calver, calves to show, keeping heifers, \$1300. Charles Macip, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 942-9123.

Reg. Char. bull, 3 yrs., sired by Moores Mark 7367, big, polled, very gentle, calves to show, no bad habits, \$1250/1. Calvin Cormier, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4127.

Reg. Simm. & Simbrah cattle, heifers, bulls & pairs, \$650/1-up. B. G. Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

Red Angus & Gelbvieh breeding-age bulls, large selection, \$1000/1-up. Homer Knost, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8044.

Reg. Char. cattle, 3/N/1s, \$1200-\$1500/1; open heifers, \$700/1; yrlg. bulls, \$800/1; 2 yr. bulls, \$1500-\$1800/1. Harry Comeaux, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 662-3270.

Pb Brangus yrlg. bulls, blk., well built, calving ease, \$700-\$800/1; cow/calf pairs, Gelbray cows, w/Char. cross calves, \$850/pair. Garry Lavergne, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-5888.

Reg. polled Hereford bull, 19 mos., 1700 lbs., halter broke, ready for heavy service, \$1700. Laura Hughes, Zachary, 70791; (225) 658-5348.

6 mos.-1 yr., red or blk., excel. for heifers or herd, small calves, heavy weaning wt., Black Bar grandsons, \$700-\$1500. Howard Spann, Harrisonburg, 71340; (318) 744-0081.

Bulls, 6 mos.-1 yr., red or blk., excel. for heifers or herd, small calves, heavy weaning wt., Fullhouse grandsons, \$700-\$1500. Kelly & Dave Hudspeth, Jena, 71342; (318) 339-9643 or (318) 992-8432.

Reg. Beefmaster bull, PW II & Prime Time breeding, \$850. David Domengeaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 668-4666 or (337) 668-4461.

Beefmasters, high performing, quality open & bred heifers, 2 yr. pairs & breeding age bulls, all cattle sired by U1 bulls, dams are U1 or U2, \$800/1. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 443-0203.

(8) F-1 Braford cows, bred 4-6 mos., coming w/2nd calves, \$1000/1. Pete Hymel, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 963-9107.

HORSES, MULES & JACKS

All horses, mules, and jacks must be from bona fide livestock farmers. We cannot accept notices from horse dealers, order buyers or persons selling on commission basis.

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5 yr. mare, beautiful, First Down Dash & Secretariat bred, \$2500; (2) small mares, \$400/1. Brenda Beauboeuf, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 443-8967.

1998 AQHA own daughter out of Young Gun, dam is out of Docs Sailfish and Poco Poco, 6 mos. cutting training, very showy mare, \$4000 obo. Judy Etheridge, Delta, 71233; (318) 574-4026.

AQHA proven son of Special Effort, fillies & colts, 1-3 yrs., out of Blondy's Dude mares, all horses microchipped, \$750/1-up. Butch Martin, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-2467.

1989 AQHA mare, trained cutter by Triangle Gold War x Doc's Remedy mare (COA NCHA), breed or return to arena, \$8500; 2 yr. AQHA filly by Brooke Peponita, (\$22,000 NCHA LTE) x unshown granddaughter of Peponita, walker, cross tie & round pen broke, ready to start, \$3500. Larry Fontenot, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-0629.

Reg. APHA geld., 30 mos., halter broke & ready to train, full brother top team penning horse, \$550. Harry Marioneaux, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 659-2444.

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1996 APHA blk./wh. tobiano stallion, 100% color producer on paint mares, 65% on breeding stock & AQHA mares, 15.3 hands, 1400 lbs., good disp., broke to ride, \$3500. Joey LeDoux, Gueydan, 70542; (337) 536-9444.

Yrlgs., Smart Lil Lena, Colonel Freckles, Handle Bar Doc, Gay Bar King, Extra Fancy, great movers, awesome prospect for cutting or performance, \$1500. Kathy Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

AQHA classy & fast sorrel mare, 9 yrs., started in cutting, used successfully in team penning, currently used as a heeling horse, \$4000; AQHA, good looking geld., 4 yrs., Paid in Full for the 2003 Fort Smith Futurity, limited hauling, running between 3D & 4D times, \$5000. Diane Adams, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-9797.

King Ranch bred horses, high percentage Mr. San Peppy & Little Peppy, \$1000/1-up, several 50% Mr. San Peppy's. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70816; (337) 224-7983.

AQHA mares & colts, by Snorty Lena, Dulces Peppy & Doc Sugs, Sonita's Last, Tenino San bloodlines, \$2000/1. Charles Champagne, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-3389.

2002 AQHA colts, Colonel Freckles-Little Peppy bloodlines, halter, gentle, lots of cow sense, good disp., \$1200/1-up. Barrett Lyons, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 288-0887 or (337) 543-2176.

2003 AQHA colts, Colonel Freckles, Little Peppy & Puddenhead bloodlines, gentle, lots of cow sense, good disp., \$900/1-up. Daniel Lyons, Church Point, 70525; (337) 945-0364 or (337) 684-6751.

1995 APHA tobiano geld. sound, good handle, real nice looking, will track calves, placed & won W. Pleasure classes, \$3500. R. Perioux, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-8807.

1999 AQHA gray geld., Docs Budha x Go Man Go grandson, excel. ranch horse, \$3500. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Paint, bay/wh., granddaughter of Puddenhead, used in cutting, team penning, barrel racing, ridden by a youth, needs quiet rider, \$4000. Rickie Andrus, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-9797.

2003 Weans. & yrlgs., all colors & riding horses, Doc's Hickory, Doc O'Lena, Peppy San, Dry Doc, Smarty Peppy's Playboy, Freckles Playboy, Peponita, Leo, Cactus Ben bloodlines, \$1000/1-up. Debra Gentile, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-9562.

APHA bay/wh. tobiano mare, 3 yrs., great starters, kids, trail, 14.3 hands, \$1500 obo. Terence Williams, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-6490.

Arabian reg. bay geld., 5 yrs., 14.3 hands, W. Pleasure or endurance, 10 wks. pro. training, good disp., \$2300. Kenneth Bridges, Breaux Bridge, 70517; (337) 896-3608.

Reg. APHA blk./wh. tovero mare, 6 yrs., 1200 lbs., 15.3 hands, works cattle and a heading horse, quiet, no

bad habits, started on barrels. \$3500. Ted Champagne, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-1222.

1996 APHA blk./wh. geld., 1 yr. cutting horse training, good disp., \$3000. Mitzi Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-4238 or (225) 644-5382.

APHA homozygous mares, exposed to homozygous stallion, \$1995/1-up. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-4238 or (225) 644-5381.

Reg. TW, (3) buckskin fillies, 1 yr., gentle, hand raised, \$2000/1; other yrlgs., \$800/1-up. L. D. Spears, Dry Creek, 70637; (337) 328-7365.

Paints, sorrels & palominos, several to choose from, studs & mares, \$800/1-up. Colton Terrell, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-5325.

Double reg. blk./wh. gaited stud, 6 yrs., proven sire, hip injury prevents showing, sweet natured, easy breeder, saddle work started, breeding and pleasure only, \$1200. Donavan Stoute, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 585-2642 or (337) 351-3815.

Reg. pb Arabian stallions, mares, colts & fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodstock, Ibn Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$1500/1-up. Jeff Dupre, Washington, 70589; (337) 585-2642.

Tennessee Walkers, (2) matching blk. horses, gentle, both 15 hands, \$3500/both, will sell separate. Steve Thibeaux, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 229-6859.

Sorrel geld., 18 yrs., impressive pedigree, automatic barrel & pole, currently placing in poles at high school level, no bad habits, \$4000. Tim Conner, Creole, 70632; (337) 542-6777.

APHA beautiful weans. & yrlgs., all colors, great conform., gorgeous heads, \$800/1-up. Jane Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

AQHA absolutely gorgeous foundation bred weans. & yrlgs., we have cremello, blk. palomino & buckskins, real big colts, must see, Doc Bar & Sport Model, Handcock bred, gentle. Mike Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

AQHA, 1 yr. colt, bay, Zips Chocolate Chip, Boston Mac, Doc Bar bloodlines, \$2000, nego; AQHA, 15 mo. blue roan filly, Sugar Bars, Two Eyed Jack, Chocolate Convoy bloodlines, \$3000, nego.; both foals are halter broke, trailer loads, easy to handle, stands for farrier; Jockey club 9 yr. mare, 15.2 hands, great youth horse, very calm, sired by Ima Hell Raiser, \$1500, nego. J. Thompson, Springfield, 70462; (225) 294-7976.

AQHA mare, granddaughter of Doc O'Lena, Puddenhead, Sugar Bars on bottom side, bred to own son of Bob Acer Doc, 12 yrs., \$4000. Kaylee Douglas, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 921-0452.

AQHA geld., own son of Mr. Jess Perry, Panama Gold Bottom, great barrel prospect, great conform., rides good, 6 yrs., \$7500. Janiece Douglas, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 921-0451.

Reg. AQHA Colorado breeding Skipa Star, 5 yrs., bred to Kings Ranch, working, \$4000; reg. stud,

APHA x Skipa Star, \$1500, all haltered. Harold Loewer, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

AQHA red roan yrlg. filly, Colonel Freckles top, Mr. San Peppy, bottom bloodline, Waggoner, Three Bars, \$1000, firm. Terry Oliver, Georgetown, 71432; (318) 827-5391.

AQHA cutting mare, has C.O.A. & money won on her, Doc Bar top-side, Doc Quixote bottom, solid, sound mare, ready to show, \$15,000. Rudy Douglas, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 921-0452.

AQHA, 2 yr. colt, own son of Starlight Joy, great head & conform., ready to break & start, flashy colt, \$7500. Clint Douglas, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 921-0452.

(2) Reg. TW fillies, (1) palomino 14.2 hands, 3 yrs., anyone can ride; (1) sorrel, w/star, 2 yrs., ready to start on trail or rail, \$2500/1. D. Burge, Walker, 70785; (225) 686-1695.

1997 AQHA sorrel geld., out of grandson of Doc O'Lena, Colonel Freckles & granddaughter of Dry Doc, Vegas Boy, good on cattle, \$2000. Richard Hebert, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 523-0084.

¾ Reg. Missouri Foxtrotter, 3 yrs., roan turning gray, 2 mos. trail training, 15 hands, gentle, kids have ridden, trail ready, lots of potential, \$1200. Charles Futrell, Quitman, 71268; (318) 259-2397 or (318) 243-2119.

AQHA horses, 1-4 yrs., & broodmares, visit web site at, www.quarter-horses.net, \$1000-\$1500. Gwen Tupper, Elton, 70532; (337) 584-2616.

Reg. Quarter horses, palominos, paints & more, mares & ponies, \$800/1-up. Kent Guillory, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 523-4146.

AQHA gray, 4 yr. mare, by Runaway Winner out of a Six Fols mare, excel. conform., raced last year, in foal to Achievement, \$7500. Jayne Segura, Broussard, 70518; (337) 369-9325.

Welsh pony, 9 yrs., 13 hands, gray mare, gentle for young child to walk/trot, will pull a buggy, \$1200; AQHA 16 yr. sorrel mare, by Mr. Afton Bug, out of TB mare, broke to ride trail rides, used as a broodmare, nice looking, \$1500. J. Segura, Broussard, 70518; (337) 369-9325.

Reg. yrlg. Appaloosa colts, (1) chestnut/wh., \$1500; (1) blk., w/wh. blanket, \$1500, both have great pedigrees. C.J. Champagne, New Iberia, 70562; (337) 364-1398.

TB stallion, 10 yrs., \$1500 obo; mare, 13 yrs., \$1500 obo; (4) La. bred yrlgs., \$500-\$1500/1; 4 yr. geld., \$1500 obo; 2 yr. stallion, in training, La. bred, \$2000, firm. Dorthy Emerson, Starks, 70661; (337) 743-5064 or (337) 794-3801.

Leopard App. mare, 9 yrs., very gentle, good w/kids or trail ride, new W. saddle pad & blanket, \$1200/all or \$900/mare. C.A. O'Neill, Holden, 70744; (225) 777-4415.

SHHBEA & NSSHA, 2002 filly, sorrel/wh. tobiano, \$1500; TWHBEA, 2002 stud colt, blk. w/(4) wh. stockings, \$1500. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (225) 265-4654 or (504) 289-0923.

2001 APHA sorrel, solid geld., w/90 days pro riding, by Barlink

Tuff Times, out of a Skipa Receipt mare, excel. arena prospect, \$2500. Anita Craig, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3839.

AQHA palomino filly, 6 mos., Go-Man-Go, Three Bars, Jet Deck, Lotsa Doubly, Two Eyed Jack, impressive blood lines, halter broke, great conform., big chest & muscular, \$1200 obo. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6763.

1995 AQHA dark bay geld., 15 hands, grandson of Peppy San Badger, great handle, good cow horse, \$3000. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-4630.

AQHA sorrel mare, 5 yrs., beautiful conform., great trail horse, \$1500. Kathy Simoneaux, Port Allen 70767; (225) 627-4630.

Donkeys, standard jacks, gentle, started in lead & harness, 5 mos. spotted gray/wh., 14 mos. brown, 24 mos., blk./wh. markings, 30 mos., spotted brown/wh., \$125/1. Mitchel Daire, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7108.

APHA AQHA yrlg. stud colts, \$800/1, obo; paso fino, geld., kid safe, very smooth, gaits, \$1500; 13 yr. AQHA mare, rides great, \$1800. Christina Miller, Killian, 70462; (225) 695-6746.

TW/SSH filly, non reg. 1 yr., halter broke, blk./wh., well gaited, very calm, \$1100, nego.; TW/SSH geld., non reg., small horse, 3 yrs., should mature at 14-14.1 hands, grula/wh., well gaited, started under saddle on trails, very calm, needs finishing, \$1000, firm. Brad Vidrine, Ville Platte, 70586; (318) 363-4290.

Wanted: small gated coon hunting mule, 12-13 hands or 48"-52". Daniel Mercer, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 628-2623.

STALLION SERVICE

Homozygous for paint & tobiano babies, APHA blk./wh. Skip-n-King, \$350/reg. mares; \$250/grade mares, no mare care. Beverly Bertrand, Branch, 70516; (337) 684-3028 or (337) 580-0161.

Smart Zan Lena own son of Smart Lil Lena, 743000, out of Smackle Suzanna, 3x world champ., \$75,000 LTE, athletic as they come, \$750/\$8 mare care. Kevin Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

AQHA brown bay, Peppy San Badger, Miss Santana Doc, Pudden Head Doc, heavy muscled, all around ranch work, sorting & roping, \$350/\$7 mare care. James Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

AQHA gray, Doc's Hickory, Dry Doc, Mr. San Peppy, Right This Minnick, Colonel Freckles, large frame, good bone, lots of athletic ability, first breeding season, \$350/\$7 mare care. Lanie Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

1983 AQHA sorrel, son of Doc's Lynx, out of a daughter of Snippy San, brother to Mr. San Peppy, foundation breeding in cutting, finish cutter, \$650/\$7 mare care. Tyler Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

AQHA dark sorrel, Eatin Out,

Doc Hickory, Bob Acre Doc, Poco Josie Bueno, cutting bred, quick & athletic, second breeding year, \$450/\$7 mare care. Joe Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

TWHBEA, SSHBEA, NSSHA, RHBEA, 16 hands, blk./wh. tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (225) 265-4654 or (504) 289-0923.

AQHA palomino stallion off Smart Little Lena, Doc O'Lena, Colonel Freckles, Dry Doc, Vegas Model, very gentle, stud colts, 75% color, \$400/\$3 mare care. Robert Granger, Jr., Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

AQHA bay stallion, hard to find, King Ranch branded, own son of Dry Doc by an own daughter of Little Peppy, \$500/\$3 mare care. Mary Granger, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

Reg. TW, 15 hands, 3 yr., beautiful chestnut, w/blonde mane, natural gaited, gentle, excel. conform. & disp., \$150/\$5 mare care. Betty Stockman, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-2967.

Reg. TW, 15.2 hands, handles well, natural gaited, copper color, fast & smooth, good conform., \$150/\$5 mare care. Tommy Stockman, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-2967.

APHA homozygous blk./wh. stallion, '98 Miss. grand champ. in halter, guaranteed paint, good conf., \$250/\$5 mare care. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238.

Last Chance to breed to Peppy de Badger, son of Pappy San Badger, 100% King Ranch, very nice horse, \$500/\$5 mare care. Ronald Brassett, Bunkie, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

Beautiful buttermilk dun, son of Count Hickory, Doc Bar, Doc O'Lena & Peppy San bred, limited breedings avail., \$400/\$5 mare care. Kevin Coates, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-5139.

AQHA palomino, son of Gay Holly Bars, world champ. cutting horse, 4th generation palomino, throwing great colts, w/90% color, best disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

AQHA sorrel, son of Haidas Little Pep, excel. conform. & disp., has produced money earners, \$500/\$5 mare care. Russ Mabile, Pierre Part, 70339; (225) 937-9030 or (985) 252-0535.

Reg. TW tobiano blk./wh. paint, good conform., good disp., Rock-n-Roll Star bloodline, \$200/\$4 mare care. Paul Broussard, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-1368 or email Jtwh1@cs.com.

Reg. TWHBEA, 3 yrs., dapple gray, roan stallion, 5 time WGC bloodlines top & bottom, beautiful color, excel. conform., \$250/\$5 mare care. Jack Johnson, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-8981.

Blk./wh. Appaloosa, Cooterville Echohawk, Geronimo, Wapiti, Mansfield Comanche, Puddenhead, King, P-234, \$200/\$3 mare care. Hermina Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

AQHA palomino, Doc Bar, Peppy San, Puddenhead, Barpass

Myers, King, P-234, \$350/\$3 mare care. Earlin Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

1986 blk., AQHA grandson of Easy Jet by Angel's Jet Rail, 16.5 hands, 1350 lbs., excel. conform. & disp., listed LQHBA, APHC & APHA, \$300/\$5 mare care. Lee Roy Dugas, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-0103.

1998 Palomino, pro. trained, Dry Doc, Doc Bar, Poco Lena, Wimpy, Poco Dell, Leo, Go-Dick-Go, Skipa-W, \$400/\$4 mare care. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-9562.

Reg. homozygous TW stallion, blk./wh., by Pride's Dealer & Tux Time, 17 hands, gentle & great disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Cody Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. homozygous TW stallion, chestnut/wh. tobiano, by Battle Colors & Paints Moon Man, 15.3 hands, guaranteed paint, beautiful & great disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Patrice Montgomery, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Beautiful reg. blk./wh. tobiano TW stallion, homozygous from both sire & dam, 15.1 hands, very beautiful, excel. conform. & disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Jim Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. TW stallion, palomino & wh., his sire is homozygous, 15.1 hands, calm, gentle, good conform. & disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Melissa Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

AQHA palomino stallion, off Smart Little Lena, Doc O'Lena, Colonel Freckles, Dry Doc, Vegas Model, very gentle stud, colts 75% color, \$400/\$3 mare care. Robert Granger, Jr., Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

AQHA bay stallion, hard to find King Ranch branded, own son of Dry Doc, by an own daughter of Little Peppy, \$500/\$3 mare care. Mary Granger, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

Reg. QH stallion, bay/wh. tobiano, by Shonie T-Bar & Tinky Sugar Bar, comes out of 14 tobianos, 15.2 hands, 50/50 in color, \$200/\$5 mare care. Bill Montgomery, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. blk. TW stallion, by Star's All American & Shades of Carbon, 1200 lbs., 14.3 hands, good conform., \$200/\$5 mare care. John Duplechin, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

1995 AQHA sorrel stallion, w/blaze & 4 white socks, own son of Doc's All Aroundm by Doc's Tom Cat & Doc Bar, on bottom out of Aguados Laurela, out of El Aguado & El Pachuco Wimpy, excel. conform., \$250/\$5 mare care. Shannon Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. Arabian wh. stallion, 6 yrs., Egyptian/Spanish bloodlines, Double Ibn Moniet El Nefous breeding, sweet disp., \$500, this year only; reg. 2 yr. Arabian mahogany bay stallion, state futurity winner, well built, prospects in W. Pleasure & reining, Ansata Ibn, Halima, \$500, this year only. Lisa Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

Reg. Arabian gray stallion, 3 yrs., '01 & '02 state futurity winner, fine bone, sweet disp., Morafic Babson, Mersianin, Bask bloodlines, first season, \$500, this year only. Paul Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

Reg. Arabian wh. Egyptian stallion, 15 yrs., sweet disp., dbn Halima, Morafic & Babson bloodlines, produces mostly wh. foals, \$1000, purebreds; \$500, non-purebreds. Casey Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

Wanted: gaited standard or Mammoth Jack for stud. Larry Gorum, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-9303.

SHEEP & GOATS

Reg. Nigerian dwarf goat kids, male, \$75; great pets and/or breeding stock, Nigerian dwarf African pygmy cross kids, females, \$100, male, \$50. Debby Sharbough, Ethel, 70722; (225) 683-4919 or (225) 937-0540.

Fb Boer billy, 16 mos., w/papers, great genetics, kids on farm, \$300; 88% Boer nanny & billy, will get papers if wanted, \$100/1. Norris Deville, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 659-7000.

Reg. pygmy kids, (2) gray agouti does, \$100/1; (1) light caramel buck, \$75. Bobbie Vanicor, Erath, 70533; (337) 685-5230.

Reg. Boer goat, 100% fb bucks, \$300-\$400; percentage nannies & buck, \$75/1-up. Rachel Fabacher, Duson, 70529; (337) 216-9546.

Reg. 15/16 Boer billy, 15 mos., kids to show, \$200. R. Richard, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-6264.

Pygmy goats, (1) billy, blk./wh., \$45; (2) nannies, (1) is brown & the other is blackish gray, \$50/1. Kenneth Fontenot, Roanoke, 70581; (337) 247-2240.

St. Croix sheep, reg. bucks avail., \$150/1, parasite resistant, shed their wood in spring. Jeff Kuehny, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8585.

Pure Nubian does, from reg. parents, dehorned, have shots, born 2/13/2002, \$150; 2/15/03, \$85. Kathryn Goppelt, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 675-8002.

Percentage Boer yrlg. nannies, 10-15 mos., 75%-94%, open for breeding this fall, \$125-\$175; also 100-150 lb. wethers, \$75-\$100. Greg Monier, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4000 or (337) 831-4000.

Pygmy goat male, \$45/1; Nubian wether, \$40/1; mixed breed billies, \$35/1. Ronald Saccaro, Baton Rouge, 70818; (225) 261-3832.

Pb Boar goats & percentage goats, all ages, \$100/1-up. Kent Guillory, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 523-4146.

(1) Reg. blk. pygmy goat, buck, \$100; (1) unreg. caramel doe, bred to reg. male, \$50. Jackie Hernandez, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-6958.

Reg. Boer billy, 100%, kids to show, \$275; % Boer nannies, some bred, \$75/1-up. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

Goat kids, 3 mos., ¾ Boer doelings, \$65; bucks, \$40/1-up. Chad Campbell, Baker, 70714; (225) 774-5335.

Katahdin sheep, \$75/1. Jess Crosier, Cade, 70519; (337) 365-6754.

Wanted: reg. Katahdin female sheep. Elvin Soileau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4094.

Wanted: blk. sheep, 1 male & 2-3 females, 1-2 yrs. Rodney Miller, Livingston, 70754; (225) 445-1793

LIVESTOCK DOGS

Only trained farm stockdogs or offspring from trained stockdogs are eligible to be advertised. Include dog's breeding and special training or ability that qualifies it as a stockdog. A signed statement must accompany each notice indicating these facts before the ad can be published.

AKC 5 mo., tri male corgi, excel. disp., beautiful markings, \$450. Mona Yarbrough, Church Point, 70525; (337) 668-4765.

Great Pyrenees puppies, AKC reg., pedigreed, from selected champion bloodlines, born 2/14/03, (2) males, (2) females, shots & wormed, \$250/1. Glenn Savoie, Sunset, 70584; (337) 668-4526.

Double reg. ABC & United K-9 reg. pups, red/wh. & blk./wh. border collies, parents work cattle, on premises, health guaranteed, first shots, & dewormed, DOB 2/5/03, \$200/1. T. J. Kreamer, Houma, 70364; (985) 873-9755.

SWINE

Feeder/wean. pigs, weaning to 200 lbs., \$35/1-up, corn fed on concrete. J. B. Richard, Scott, 70583; (337) 269-1755.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Gouldians, \$115/pr.; orange cheeks, \$20/1; spice, \$12/1; orange weavers, \$10/1; zebras, \$7/1; societies, \$5/1. Daniel Chauvin, Houma, 70364; (985) 876-7966.

Eclectus grand male, 9 mos., \$600, or trade for pair of sun conure breeders. Clarence Brister, Princetown, 71069; (318) 949-2909.

Quaker breeders, blue w/split to blue prs., \$700; blue, \$475; dna, \$425; split to blue, \$275; dna, \$250. Carol Phillips, Logansport, 71049; (318) 697-7241.

Parrots, (1) pr. B & G macaws, w/large cage, DNA tested, \$1200; (1) pr. yellow head Amazon, w/big cage, \$800. Edward McCalfe, Jr., Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-0340.

(1) Pr. B & G macaws, proven, \$2000; (1) pr. Vosmaer Eclectus, \$500; cockatiels, handfed babies, gray & lutino, \$35/1-up. Mary Vidrine, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-1163.

Phoenix incubator, ostrich & emu incubator, used once, like

new, fully automatic, (3) ostrich egg trays, (4) emu egg trays, \$1450 obo. George Williamson, Haughton, 71037; (318) 949-0867.

(2) Male canaries, (1) solid yellow, (1) variegated, \$50/1, or \$80/both. Jackie Hernandez, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-6958.

Parakeets, \$10/1, all colors; wh. & albino love birds, \$20/1, all colors, except yellow, willing to trade for larger birds. Warren Oubre, Litcher, 70071; (225) 869-3656.

Diamond doves, blue/wh. tail, silver/wh. tail, cinn./wh. tail, yellow/wh. tail, yellow & red, all closed banded, \$20/1-up. Mervin Faul, Iowa, 70647; (337) 582-6674.

Ringneck dove normals & whs., \$7.5-\$10/1; proven mated prs., \$25-\$35/pr., will ship. Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

Orange-faced lovebirds, \$30/1; breeder pr. Indian ring parakeets, \$200/pr.; breeder parakeets, \$8/1; diamond doves, \$10/1. Wade Hendricks, Convent, 70723; (225) 562-7719.

Doves & ringnecks, \$5/1; pieds, \$6/1; wh./tangerine, \$7/1; proven prs., \$20/1-up. J. R. Bernard, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8619.

Orange-faced lovebirds, lutions, olives, normals, cinns., \$30-\$60/1; red-faced, wh.-faced & many other mutations, \$20-\$50/1. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, 70391; (985) 369-6952.

(1) Pr. Quaker parrot, approx. 2 yrs., \$75/pr. Robert Legendre, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5923.

Cockatiels, large breeder age, 1-3 yrs., \$35/1-up; cinns., lutino, wh.-faced, pearls, wh.-faced pieds, cinn. pied, handfed, most mutations, \$35/1-up, all closed banded, w/cert. Samantha Ivy, Morgan City, 70380; (985) 631-3498.

Diamond dove, \$20/1. Abraham Andrepont, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-7187.

Stainless steel play area, for large birds or parrot, brand new, in original box, made by A.E., \$400 obo. Donna Bourgeois, Destrehan, 70047; (985) 764-3931.

Diamond doves, \$15/1; java rice birds, \$20/1; silver bills, \$10/1; societies, \$5/1; male zebras only, \$5/1. Donald Jacob, LaPlace, 70068; (985) 652-6614.

Parrolets, \$100/1-up; blk. head-ed green cheek conure, producing pairs, \$300/pr. Gloria Monks, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-6600.

Handfed B. & G. macaw, 5 mos., sweet, male, \$850; cockatiel babies hf, lutinos, pieds, pearls, \$30/1, (1) blk. headed ciauque, 1 yr. female, \$550, sun conures coming. Faye Taylor, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-5770.

Indian ringneck parakeets, 2002 hatch, violet, dark-green/blue, turquoise, gray, lacewings, greens split to various mutations, a few mature birds avail. \$50-\$2500/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Wanted: Quaker parrots in Jefferson Parish area, young/handfed. Gasper Gilardi, Harahan, 70123; (504) 738-1415.

PIGEONS

White King pigeons, \$6/1. Paul Harrison, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-7780.

Pigeons, (15) different breeds, \$5-\$15/1. Joe Vaurigaud, Hammond, 70403; (225) 567-9055.

(4) White King pigeons, mix bred, \$3/1. Elvin Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2079.

POULTRY, FOUL & EGGS

Louisiana currently has a quarantine on poultry and poultry products, including eggs, from any state or federal Exotic Newcastle disease quarantine area.

Mallard ducks, (5) pr., \$50/all or \$6-\$7/1. Nelson Wiltz, Breaux Bridge, 70517; (337) 228-7288.

Purebred bantam chicks, 5 kinds, \$2/1-up, bantam eggs, \$6/doz.; pb jungle fowl, \$8/1. Hubert Soileau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-1490.

Fresh yard eggs, \$1/doz. Ed Martin, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 673-2548.

White mute swan, mature male swan, \$300, or trade for mature female mute swan. Joel Pigott, Pearl River, 70452; (985) 863-5008.

(4) Peking ducks, \$6/1 or \$20/4; (9) geese, (6) embden, (3) toulouse, \$125/all. R. Young, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-5013.

Fresh eggs, from pastured, naturally-raised chickens, \$1.5/doz. Jordana Turner, Ethel, 70730; (225) 683-3880.

Super large quail hatching eggs, \$25/100, plus \$12 S&H, live birds, 75¢/1-up, dressed quail, \$23/doz.; pickled eggs, \$4/pt. G. R. Chauvin, Shriever, 70395; (985) 448-3360.

Baby pharaoh & Manchurian golden quails & white quails, 25¢/1; adult quails, \$1.5-\$2/1. Patti Arnold Cecilia, 70521; (337) 667-6632.

Rhode Island pullets, 2 mos., \$5/1; Rhode Island chicks, 1 mos., \$2.5/1. Cooper Allen, Walker, 70785; (225) 665-6068.

New Hamp. red chicks, 4 wks., \$1.5-\$2/1; golden sexlink pullets, 8 wks., \$3.5/1. P. Ortego, Pride, 70770; (225) 654-5934.

Baby muscovy ducks, \$3/1. W. Vetsch, New Orleans, 70124; (504) 482-2662.

GQF/Dickey cabinet incubators, automatic turning trays, elec. thermostats, cost, \$450, sell, \$350; hatches, \$200; dehumidifier, \$100; infrared egg candles, \$500; HEPA air cleaner, \$50. Roger Maduell, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-8310.

Red jungle fowl roosters, pb, \$10/1; silkie x JF roosters, \$6/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

(5) Kinds of pb bantams, roosters, \$5/1; hens, \$7/1; male mallards, \$7/1, yellow & gray female cockatiel, \$50/1. Bernard Darbonne, Pollock, 71467; (318) 765-9415.

Blue peacock, 3-4 yr. male, w/full tail, \$75. Debby Sharbaugh, Ethel, 70722; (225) 683-4919 or (225) 937-0540.

White call ducks, \$10/1 grown; dark cornish bantams, \$25/trio. Robert Brunet, Oak Dale, 71463; (318) 335-3930.

Baby buff chicks, 50¢/1-up. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

Wanted: GQF incubators & hatchers. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

Wanted: Pr. Canadian geese, 2-3 yrs. peacocks, (1) blk. shoulder male & (2) females, under 1 yr., near Baton Rouge or Hammond if possible. Rodney Miller, Livingston, 70754; (225) 445-1793.

DEER & EXOTICS

Trophy elk, \$2000/1-up; trophy fallows, \$500/1; water buffalo bull, 2000 lbs., \$800. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

Fallow deer, (3) spike bucks, white, born 2001, (1) chocolate buck, born 2002, \$200/1 or \$700/all. James Cassidy, Independence, 70443; (985) 878-4426.

(8) Buffalo yrlds. & 2 yrs., (6) heifers, & (2) bulls, \$350-\$600 or \$3250/all. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5556.

Rocky Mt. elk, 8 mos.-9 yrs., \$1000-\$2000. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Bass, 60¢/1; bluegill, 20¢/1; crappie, 30¢/1; Chiquapin, 30¢/1; catfish, 20¢/1; hybrids, 25¢/1; carp, \$9/1; minnows, \$8/1 lb., del. avail. Frank Book, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 929-4251.

Bluegill 20¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 25¢/1; Chiquapin bream, 25¢/1; blue catfish, 25¢/1; channel catfish, 20¢/1; koi, 50¢/1-up; bass, 5¢/1-up. David Lowe, Minden, 71055; (318) 377-1525.

(3) Crawfish graders, 12 volt, onboard, \$500/1. Walter Porche, Morganza, 70759; (225) 694-3797.

6' centrifugal pump, mounted on pipe rack, w/20 hp 3-phase motor, approx., 1000-gal. per minute, \$1500. Chad Peloquin, Kinder, 70648; (337) 738-4224.

2 cyl. 20 hp Kohler engine, w/clutch, propeller shaft log, strut, rubber propeller, complete, ready for boat, \$600, firm. Robert Ollie, Metairie, 70005; (504) 834-9545.

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

Netherland dwarf, Jersey wooly, Havana, Holland lops & mini lops, breeders & bunnies, \$20/1-up. Carol Petitjean, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9550.

NZ whites, NZ & California mixed, all ages, \$10/1. Maryann Gautreaux, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2342.

Ped. Flemish giants, 5 wks., \$30/1; non ped. Flemish giants, checkered giants, Californians, NZW, Chinchilla giants, French lops 6-8 wks., \$7/1. Charles Millet, Morganza, 70759; (225) 694-3962.

Ped. checkered giants, Flemish & Chinchilla giants, 6-8 wks., \$30/1. Reese Gravois, Galliano, 70354; (985) 665-1652.

California does & bucks, 1 ½ yrs., good bloodlines, \$20/1; cages, \$10/1-up. Clyde Rachal, Baton Rouge, 70805; (225) 357-8973.

New Zealand wh., mixed breed rabbits, 6-8 lbs., males & females, \$15/1, no checks. Bruce Batiste, Sr., Slidell, 70460; (985) 639-9770.

Ped. or non-ped., seedstock, New Zealand wh. & mini rexes, \$10/1. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (985) 868-2693.

Wanted: English angora bunny or breeders or trade for Holland lops. Chris Briley, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 585-2421.

RATITES

Rhea, gray male breeder, \$50, last one. Roger Maduel, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-8310.

BEEES/HONEY

Complete beekeeping operation, (4) hives, no bees, (2) extractors, lots of equipment & materials, too much to list, \$1100. Carl Reece, Gilliam, 71029; (318) 222-8400.

Wanted: 15-20 supers w/drawn frames, clean, ready to use as brood super or honey production, preferably in central La. area. Stafford Holland, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-7993.

RURAL PROPERTIES

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

(130) Acre catfish farm, (80) water acres, electricity, water wells, equipment sheds, hatchery, stocked, can be converted to pasture or crawfish, \$2000/acre. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

Cheneyville, Rapides Parish, Echo Rd., 115 acres, (7) leaved water control structured ponds, 1200-gal./min. deep well, elec. service, hwy. accessible, excel. for hunting, crawfish, catfish, \$300,000. Vernon Traxler, Alexandria, 71301; (318) 448-3446 or (318) 448-3440.

Red River Parish, 60 acres, house, barn, improved pastures, fenced, cross fenced, \$165,000; additional 50 acres, \$60,000. David Williams, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 932-4482.

Livingston Parish, 40 acres near town of Livingston, between Hwy. 190 & I-12, city services accessible, Dolyz school district, hardwood timber, \$6500/acre. Earline Miller, Livingston, 70754; (225) 445-1793.

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Blueberries, you pick, \$1.5/lb., at place; \$3/lb. if we pick. James A. Robin, Sr., Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

U-Pick blueberries, \$1.5/lb., mid May until early July. Chris Disher, Broussard, 70518; (337) 280-6919.

SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

Gourds, large birdhouse, dipper & cushaw, crookneck, green stripe, \$1.5/30 seeds, w/SASE. James Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, La., 70570; (337) 407-0188.

2002 Hot-Peter pepper seeds, \$1/50-seed pkt. w/SASE. Cleveland Guidry, 918 E. Ash St., Crowley, La., 70526; (337) 783-2042.

Zinnia seed, \$6.5/cup, post paid. Beatrice Jacob, Castor, 71016; (318) 544-2522.

Red Velvet, sweet potato plants, seed potatoes & other kinds, Florida giant watermelon seed. A. J. Standley, Anahuac, Texas, 77514; (409) 252-4325.

Wanted: bird gourd seed. Carolyn McKnight, Georgetown, 71432; (318) 827-5823.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

Pecan trees, Elliott, 2 yrs., 10-gal., \$30; Shumard oak, 4 yrs., 15-gal., \$35; river birch, 3-gal., \$6. James Robin, Sr., Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Fig trees, 2 yrs., 2-gal., \$9.5, (8) varieties, SASE for list. Betty Robin, 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA., 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Mayhaw trees, large fruited varieties, Mexican plum, red mulberry, Chickasaw plum, crabapple, catalpa, native magnolia, burr oak, \$7-\$25/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Live oaks, 3' - 4', \$8/1; Southern magnolia, \$5-\$15/1; Japanese plum, 5'-6', \$10; Japanese yew, \$10/7-gal.; Indian haw., \$8/3-gal.; dwarf pomegranate, \$8/3-gal.; amaryllis red, \$5-\$12, by size; monkey grass, \$1/3-qt. tufts; burford holly, \$4/1-gal. James Stelly, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4528.

Blueberry bushes, 1-gal. potted, 2 yrs., (4) varieties, \$4.5/1, 25 or more, \$4/1. Chris Disher, Broussard, 70518; (337) 280-6919.

Wanted: sprouts of giant bamboo cane, grows 3"-4" in diameter & (30) pcs. of mature giant cane. Glen Stephens, Woodworth, 71485; (318) 448-1594.

HAY & GRAIN

2003 Bahia & Jiggs Bermuda 4' x 6' round bales, \$20/Bahia, \$30/Jiggs, will deliver, \$5/bale. Donald Crawford, Broussard, 70518; (337) 989-9675.

2003 Quality Jiggs Bermuda, \$3.5/bale, in barn, \$4-\$4.5/bale, del. but not unloaded. Don Bernard, Broussard, 70518; (337) 989-9675.

Kansas alfalfa hay, horse quality, \$8.5/bale, or \$8/bale if 50 or more taken. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

4' x 5' rolls Bahia hay, heavy fert., no rain, no weeds, under barn, del. avail., \$30/1; outside, \$25/1. Joe Pieri, Folsom, (985) 796-9538 or (504) 628-5361.

Bermuda hay, good quality for horses, \$2.75/bale in barn; \$2.5/bale in field, 2002 hay avail., Ricky Rea, Bernice, 71222; (318) 285-7566.

Bermuda & grass hay, from fertilized field, baled w/o rain, \$1.5-\$2.5/bale, depending on quality. Harold Lower, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

Vermeer 504L baler, hyd. tie & bale ramp, Vermeer WR-20 wheel rake, both like new, used very little, less than 300 bales, \$14,500/both. Donald Faucheux, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-5368.

5' Rotary cutter Bush Hog brand, 3 pt. hitch, deck needs repair, \$275. David Jeansonne, Pineville, 71360; (318) 466-3889.

Vermeer 605A round baler, working cond., \$1500. John Danos, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-3358.

Int. 364, 34 hp trac., good cond., 7' Sidewinder bush hog, \$5500. Joey Zito, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 665-7919.

Vermeer hay roller, 504G series, 4' x 5', elec. tie, belts, 3 yrs., field ready, 4-wheel rake, \$3500/both. Sid Johnson, Converse, 71419; (318) 796-3078.

New equipment, 4' box scraper, \$360; 6' box scraper, \$405; MF 243 exhaust, \$150. D. Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (985) 209-0026 or (985) 868-2693.

Ford side delivery, pull type hay rake, \$200; fluffer for parts, \$50; oxidation pond pump & honey wagon, \$500; grader blade, 3 pt. hitch, \$200. Paul Harrison, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-7780.

JD 1010 trac., 30 hp, gasoline, 1965, runs, but needs carburetor work, \$1800; Sidewinder bush hog, 7', needs deck work, \$300; trailer frame, heavy-duty axle, \$50. Roger Maduell, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-8310.

Trac. tire, new, 13.6 12/36, cost \$325, asking, \$150. Roger Hornsby, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 272-2522.

JD 4020, w/turbo, new tires, good cond., \$7500. Johnny

Guillory, Pineville, 71360; (318) 443-7561.

GMD 77HD Kuhn hay cutter, 9' bar, used very little, good cond., \$4500. Jimmy Williams, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2682.

Buhler 5' finishing mower, second cutting season, rear discharge, pneumatic tires, stored in shed, \$1150. M. McCrory, Iota, 70543; (337) 779-2784.

1999 Krone round baler, used (3) seasons, 4' x 5' rolls, like new, monitor, auto twine wrap, excel. cond., \$7500 obo. Joe Pieri, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9538 or (504) 832-0885.

Walton V-8, hay rake, used (1) season, like new, \$2000. Ike Nichols, Kinder, 70648; (337) 639-2140.

Complete elec. over hyd. system, for commercial trash compactor, switch, 10 hp motor, pump, 35-gal. tank, \$1500 or trade. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 664-3777.

1988 Case 888 track hoe, 40" bucket, \$12,500; JD 410 back hoe, \$5500. Mike Mitchell, Robeline, 71469; (318) 256-6409 or (318) 256-2596.

Large manure spreader, pull type w/wheel drive, operational but could be made like new w/minor work, \$400; heavy-duty grading blade, w/3-way adjustments, like new, \$300; Ford 3 pt. hitch hay rake, \$350. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5556.

Vermeer 8-wheel rake, field ready, on wheels, \$1350. Warren Smith, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-8593.

Amco 10' disc, \$850; Vicon V-rake, \$1700. Nick Bruno, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2181.

Vermeer hay baler, 554XL series, rolled less than 100 rolls, shed kept, \$13,900. Clifton Wells, Jr., Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-2853.

1975 Power King trac., 14 hp, 48" belly mower, \$1700; (2) 8.3 x 24 trac. tires & wheels, \$125/both. G.H. Bolen, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 439-3518.

Case 13 ½' disc, good cond., \$550. Denny Primeaux, Iowa, 70647; (337) 477-3648.

MF 30" dirt scoop, w/6' rake, both 3 pt. hitch, \$125/1. G. Nugent, Dry Prong, 71423; (318) 899-5357.

Gradall model GR3, good cond., will trade for equal value, \$7000 obo. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

15' Rhino, heavy-duty bush hog, pasture clipper, good cond., pasture ready, \$3875. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge, 70808; (225) 766-2363.

10' Van Brunt grain & seed drill, 7" spacing, good cond., \$500. Elwood McGee, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 364-0626.

140 Int. trac., w/front cult. frame & 3 pt. hitch, 4' bush hog, excel. cond., \$4500. G.L. Buddy Payne, Tickfaw, 70466; (225) 567-5002.

Ford 3000 diesel trac., 8 spd., factory p/s, 40 PTO hp, \$4900; JD 1020 diesel trac., 8 spd., \$3600. J. Guillot, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4776.

MF 240 diesel, 40 hp, like new, \$10,000; MF diesel 255, roll bars, seat belts, new tires, good trac., \$9000. Ernest Web, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2685.

(1) Cult. plow that is pulled by a trac., used one time, been under barn, \$250. Ann Webb, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2685.

Ford 3600 diesel trac., 8 spd., 40 PTO hp, p/s, \$5500; Ford 4000 diesel trac., 52 PTO hp, 8 spd., p/s, \$5500. E. Ryan, Marksville, 71351; (318) 240-7388.

(2) Case Int. 265 trac., w/3 pt. hitch, front cult., planters, good, \$6500/1. Sam McDonald, Sugartown, 70662; (337) 328-8886.

Sidewinder shredder, 5' width, good cond., \$750; Herd seed & fertilizer broadcaster, 5 bu. capacity, needs minor repair, \$75. Russell Bonnet, Scott, 70583; (337) 235-1296.

Yazoo commercial riding mower, 16 hp B & S, 48" cutting deck, \$500; Gravely model 566, w/30" deck, like new cond., \$1200; Farmall cub trac., w/cult., row builders & plow, \$2300; Gravely model 566, 12 hp, Kohler engine, 30" deck, like new cond., \$1250. U. Rodrigue, Jr., Amite, 70068; (985) 652-3687.

7720 JD combine, 4 wd, w/18' header, shed kept, \$7000. Chad Duhan, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9093.

IH 386, 8-row planter, w/row markers, stainless swords & new 8 x 20 rubber press whell tires, field ready, \$800. David Charrier, Monterey, 71354; (318) 386-7238.

JD 95R combine, w/spare parts, \$400; 6 shank plow, \$300; Lilliston, 6-row rolling cult., \$500; 6-row crop maker, w/overhead & behind sprayer, \$300; 6-row lay by spray, \$100. Percell Green, Rayville, 71269; (318) 728-6966.

JD 9910 cotton picker, recent head overhaul, \$3500; 6-row cult. fenders, overhead spray, \$300; 6-row planters, fiberglass hoppers, disc openers, wide press wheel, \$400. Judy Green, Rayville, 71269; (318) 728-6966.

5' Finish mower, side discharge, 3 pt. hitch, like new, \$800. Mike Martinez, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-9490.

Allis Chalmers XT 190, totally rebuilt engine, service manual, \$2200; trac. for parts, 8' blade, \$500, will trade for 40-60 hp trac., w/3 pt. hitch. Judith Doherty, Covington, 70435; (985) 809-1213.

Case IH 1010 header, 22 1/2", oil drive, \$7500; 4-row BB paratill, \$2500. Johnny Coco, Marksville, 71351; (318) 452-0326 or (318) 240-7660.

JD quick hitch, reversible catagory II or III, completely rebuilt, \$200; transmission for IH 1466, \$400. Shaun Peck, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 945-2700.

6' light-duty bush hog, fair cond., \$100; (1)-row ridgers or row makers, 3 pt. hitch, \$150. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

Gravely 7.6 super convertible rototiller, rotary plow, 30" mower, cult., sulkey, excel. cond., \$1500. Jeff Kueany, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8585 or (225) 235-3936.

Farmall cub, grader blade, planter, row hiller, plow, good cond., \$2500. William Boegel, Mandeville, 70471; (985) 626-5324.

Ford 552 round baler, elec. tie, extra parts, field ready, \$1500. George Hatcher, Converse, 71419; (318) 567-3431.

5' tiller, 3 pt. hitch, PTO, very

good cond., \$400. Doug Luke, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-0570.

JD 12-row narrow planter, \$4000; Lilliston 6-row, double gang rolling cult., \$800; (2) fast hitches, \$250/1. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304.

7' Lely hay cutter, very good cond., \$1500. Al Lewis, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 727-9313.

Ramey sugarcane transloader, \$500; (2) Bayou Service transloader wagons, 11' compartments, \$5000/1; Lilleston cult., \$3500; Rodobec excavator grab, \$4000; Vicon RP1210 round baler, \$3000. Philip Richard, Raceland, 70394; (985) 447-3213.

Amco WTD8 disc harrow, completely rebuilt, new blades, bearings, tires & paint, superior cond., \$4000. Ted Miller, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 232-9610 or (337) 662-5037.

JD 4640 C/A, p/s, Q/H, racks, tanks, pump, \$16,000; 400 BU Caldwell grain cart, 854 Int. corn head, drain cleaner, 6-row, W & A Do-All, 1100-gal. stainless steel nurse tank, on wheels, 12-row spray rig, \$200/1-up. Dale Moreau, Port Barre, 70769; (225) 673-9797.

JD 4630, powershift, c/a, duals, always shedded, good cond., field ready, \$7500. Daniel Lyons, Church Point, 70525; (337) 945-0364 or (337) 684-6751.

Hanner Hill PTO power, good shape, make your own feed, \$7000. Stan Fortenberry, Calhoun, 71225; (318) 644-1722.

15' Bush Hog brand cutter, excel. cond., \$5500. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-0980.

MF 265 diesel trac., w/7' shredder, dual casters, \$9000. Harry DeBusk, Dry Prong, 71423; (318) 899-3317.

IH 485 disc, blk. gang model, 24" blades, 21' wide, excel. cond., \$3000, nego. Leo Franchebois, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-4365.

JD 466, round baler, 3 yrs., \$15,000. Josephine Capdeboscq, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-4374.

Ford 6610, excel. cond., canopy & remotes, \$9500; JD 2940 excel. cond., canopy & remotes, \$12,000; Case 580K extendahoe, excel. cond., \$16,5000. Bryan Orgeron, Lockport, 70374; (985) 696-5436.

1996 MF 34 hp, diesel, 445 hrs., good tires, 6' K cutter, heavy-duty bush hog, row maker, 5' tiller, middle busters, 6' grader box, \$12,000/all obo. or just trac., \$10,500. Gary Herbert, Sr., Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-1817 or (225) 715-4942.

Long starters, \$240/1; used 12 x 24 rims, w/center 8 bolt pattern, 8N hyd. pump, \$395; 8N & 600 fenders, \$35/1. James Degeyter, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-7682.

Farmall-H tricycle trac., 2 pt. hitch, good tires, new tubes, 12 volt alt. power tower on top of trans., hyd. lift, \$1600 nego. Rodney Moreau, Simmesport, 71369; (318) 941-2987.

Int. 140 Farmall trac., w/garden tools, 3 pt. hitch, PTO, 12 volt, excel. cond., \$3600. Bryant Coker, Glenmora, 71433; (318) 748-4271.

Farmall Cub trac., w/belly mower, red, good cond., \$2000. Jill

Hutcheson, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 370-6922 or (985) 507-6657.

Drain cleaner, \$300; Louviere drain cleaner, \$500; Louviere rotary V-ditcher, \$800; steel bed for 1-ton truck, w/storage, \$600. Patrick Landry, Loreauville, 70552; (337) 229-8448 or (337) 229-4911.

JD 5200 925 hrs., \$13,500. J Janis, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-7338.

1066 High clear Int. trac., \$2500; 966 high clear, Int. trac., \$2000; 1086 cab/air, Int. trac., \$4000; set of 8" wide spike wheels, \$500. Todd Landry, Loreauville, 70552; (337) 229-8448 or (337) 229-8428.

MF 180 good cond., 90%, rubber, \$6795. Calton Leger, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-9349.

JD 8-row cult., excel. cond., \$2000; 8-row lay-by rig, excel. cond., \$800; W & A 8-row hipper, w/row markers, good cond., \$2500. Bobby Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

Landpride 4', 3 pt. hitch, rear discharge, finishing mower, excel. cond., \$1000/firm. Patrick Coco, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-6902.

Diesel trac., 95% restored, Yanmar YM 1401, 3 cyl., 18 hp; Yanmar YM 276, 2 cyl., 30 hp; Yanmar YM 2010, 4x4, 3 cyl., 27 hp, \$3200/up. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

New 20 hp, 2 wd, diesel utility trac., 540 & 100 rpm PTO, w/canopy, \$4000. D. J. Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

Int. 1466, \$6800; Int. 1466, \$5200; Int. 140, 1-row, \$3000; 1-row digger, \$7200; 4-row hipper, \$450; 14' bush hog disc, \$850; 21' wing disc 480, \$800; chisel plow, \$450; 2-row potato planter, \$1200; 2-row pickup disc, \$300; fork lift mask, 3 pt. hitch, \$800; ditcher, \$150; spray rig, needs repair, \$100; potato crates, \$1/1. Daniel LaGorde, Mansura, 71350; (318) 964-2902.

Kubota L 245, less than 1000 hrs., all original, like new, \$5200; JD 316 trac., w/belly mower, 16 hp, hydrostat, good cond., \$1000. Malcolm Saacks, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-5456.

1994 Ford 5610S good, \$10,500; '95 Ford 1920, low hrs., \$8000; NH 849 rd. baler, \$2495; 4' finishing mower, \$600; 5' bush hog cutter, \$450; 709 JD rotary cutter, \$900; NH, heavy-duty, 8' disc mower, \$1600. R. Coldiron, Jonesville, 71343; (318) 339-7876.

Case 1170 trac., w/rebuilt engine & 3 pt. hitch, good cond., \$6500. Glen Stephens, Woodworth, 71485; (318) 448-1594.

Ford 4100 trac., 50 hp, good shape, 80's model, good rubber, runs good, good hydraulics & PTO, \$6000. Billy Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2904.

Sweet potato planter, 1-row, \$5500, firm. Lonnie Sarver, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-1275.

JD side rake, \$500; 8-wheel V-rake, 3 pt. hitch, \$800. David Drost, Singer, 70660; (337) 786-4042.

2-Row heavy-duty bush hog, 3 pt. hitch disc, \$650; JD 7100 folding planter, \$1200 Farmall 806, diesel, wide front, 3 sets hyd. remotes, p/s, saddle tanks, \$4750;

15' batwing cutter, heavy-duty, w/chain guards, \$2500. John Byone, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-0005.

Clark 6000, gasoline forklift, pneumatic tires, good cond., \$6500; 15-ton Galion cherry picker, 60' boom, w/auxiliary front winch, good cond., \$22,500; Modern 6' heavy-duty box blade, excel. cond., \$415. Cleon Harris, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-5930.

Gravely Model L, runs good but needs work, 30" mower, rotary plow & rotary cult., all working, \$1000/all. Clark McClendon, Folsom, 70437; (985) 502-7278.

MF 236 front-end loader w/6' bucket, new dual control valve & PTO or remote hook up, \$1800. C. A. O'Neill, Holden, 70744; (225) 777-4415.

1995 JD 310D loader backhoe, \$22,000, nego. Lucinda Feucht, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-8750.

JD 346T square baler, \$2700; M & W hay cutter, 7' 6", \$1800; hay rake, \$500, all in good cond. Jayne Segura, Broussard, 70518; (337) 369-9325.

Allis Chalmers model D-17 trac., gas, w/choppers, busters, bush hog, grader blades, \$3500. D. Thoms, Jackson, 70748; (225) 654-8581.

658 NH 1999 auto wrap baler, 9'2" Kuhn 2002 cutter, Rossi "V" rake, on dolly, \$22,000/all; (2) 4440 JD c/a, new engines in both, \$18,500/1. Dale Beavers, Baskin, 71219; (318) 248-3029.

JD 650 trac., w/Woods RM59 cutter & toll bar, w/row builders, \$5000/1. Pete Hymel, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 963-9107.

Hayfork, w/3 pt. hitch, \$125; 5' spike harrow, 3 pt. hitch, \$200., M. J. Montagnino, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-2473.

66" Grader box, new, \$550. M. Duke, Ventress, 70703; (225) 618-2483.

Ford trac., model 1700, 4 wd, good running cond., \$3000. Tommy Johnson, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-1478.

8' JD 2-way plow, completely rebuilt, 24" Bush Hog brand, very good cond., \$2500. Roy Marcantel, Kinder, 70648; (337) 738-2647 or (337) 370-6375.

MF 165 52 hp, \$5200; Ford 4610, w/cab, 1984, 55 hp, \$6900; Ford 3600, w/cab, 42 hp, \$5500; Ford 4000, no cab, rear hyd., \$5700. Tom Gingles, Jr., Hall Summit, 71034; (318) 894-9164.

Amco 10' disc, \$850; Vicon V-rake, \$1700. Nick Bruno, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2181.

Back hoe tire, for 410 JD, 21L-24, \$50. E. C. Bryan, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-1598.

JD 3350, cab/air synchronize shift, mechanical FWD, low hrs., w/Great Bend self leveling loader, \$28,000. Rudy Douglas, Slaughter, 70777; (225) 921-0452.

Wanted: 30-40 hp trac., w/4 wd, p/s, w/front loader. Jerry Walker, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 664-4566.

Wanted: old JD high crop tracs. & parts, 2510, 2520, 3020 & 4020 & all 2 cyl. W. H., Dubuque, IA 52002; (563) 552-2865.

Wanted: used equipment for small compact tracs., w/3 pt. hitch. D. J. Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

Wanted: grader blade, 8'-10', 120 hp rating, equivalent to JD 155; offset disc, 8'-10', for 100 hp trac., 24" blades. Doug Dorhauer, Denham Springs, 70706; (225) 665-2788.

Wanted: JD cab/air 9-135 hp, QR preferred. Rick Cureington, Winnsboro, 71295; (318) 435-4443.

Wanted: 4 wd, 55-75 hp trac., w/no cab, in good cond. Ted Pavy, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-3361.

Wanted: 8' box blade or 8' grader blade, within 75 miles. L.L. Clark, Pineville, 71360; (318) 240-9161.

Wanted: attachments for David Bradley (2)-wheel garden trac. Chris Angers, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 367-6396.

Wanted: diesel engine for JD high crop 4020, 18-4-34 tire, tube & rim for W-9 Int. rice field trac., in usable cond. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 664-3777.

FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

1- ton steel flatbed, for short wheelbase, w/gooseneck hookup, \$500. Philip Richard, Raceland, 70394; (985) 447-3213.

1978 K-5 blazer, full size, 350 V-8, automatic trans. 4 wd, 10.5 x 15", Goodyear AT tires, heavy duty trailer hitch, \$1900. Roger Manuell, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-8310.

1995 Ford 350 extended cab, powerstroke, auto, dually, gooseneck hookup, 140,000 miles, excel. cond., \$10,000, firm. Donald Forbes, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-2424.

1996 GMC 3500 HD, flatbed truck, w/20' gooseneck trailer & 300 Sae Lincoln diesel welding machine, runs good, doesn't weld., \$12,000/all. Robbie Speer, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-3525.

1994 Ford Explorer, 5 spd., new clutch, excel. cond., radio, a/c, good tires, highway miles, \$4500. John Dallas, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 367-3547.

1993 Isuzu, 5 spd. trans., \$275; head, \$250. W. Singleton, Dry Creek, 70637; (337) 639-4017.

1990 Chevrolet, 3/4 ton pickup, \$4500. S. Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

1980 Ford 1/2 ton stepside pickup, 6 cyl. auto trans., \$800; headache rack & rear iron bumper, for short wheel base stepside pickup, \$100. Mitchel Daire, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7108.

1996 Ford F-600, flat bed dump truck, new tires, 80,000 original miles, extra clean, \$3800. Milton Clouatre, Sr., Gonzales, 70737; (225) 675-5311.

1976 Ford F100 4x4, 63,000 miles, warn winch, one owner, \$1000, firm. Robert McDaniel, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 599-2352.

GMC 5500, 2 1/2 ton, w/good metal grain bed, 325 bushel, excel. tires, \$2000. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304.

1997 GMC, 1/2 ton, 4x4, ext. cab, SWB, p/w, p/l, auto, V8, 155,000

miles, CD, towing pkg., gooseneck hookup, \$6500, neg. Nick Hensgens, Rayne, 70578; (337) 581-8188 or (337) 334-2804.

1995 Dodge pickup, ¾ ton, diesel, 2 wd, single cab, SLT package, \$7000. Chad Duhon, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9093.

1987 Ford Ranger, diesel, 5 spd., \$2850. Calton Leger, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-9349.

1988 Chevy 1-ton crew cab, customized, excel. cond., \$6500. Patrick Coco, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-6902.

1980 C-70 series Chevy truck, 427 gas engine comp. rebuilt, air brakes, p/s, PTO, 5 spd., 2 spd. axle, \$2500. Louis Olivier, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-5011 or (337) 754-5980.

1980 Ford F-350 Holmes, w/twin hyd. boom winch, wrecker bed, was running, \$2000 obo. Gary Hebert, Sr., Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-1817 or (225) 715-4942.

1982 Chevy, 1-ton 454, 4 dr., \$1500. J. R. Janis, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-7338.

Iron bob-tail rice truck bed, 13' 6" x 7' 7", 3' 5" deep, good for 14; flat bed trailer, to haul bulk grain, \$400, nego. Clifford Courville, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-1447.

Wanted: trade a 1991 Chevrolet ½ ton 4x4, in great shape, runs good, for a ¾ ton 4x4, in good shape. T.L. Kennedy, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-4919.

TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

8' x 24' gooseneck trailer, dove tail load ramps, (2) 7000 lbs. axles, elec. brakes, \$3200. Johnny Guillory, Pineville, 71360; (318) 443-7561.

6'8" x 20' Gooseneck brand cattle trailer, w/2 partition gates, kept in shed, 2 yrs., less than 4000 miles, \$4800. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

Black three-seater Amish built carriage, w/removable top, very nice, can be elegant or casual, \$3000. Jennifer Robinette, Boyce, 71409; (318) 793-4959.

2000 Featherlight, alum./wh. skin, (3) horse, gooseneck trailer, front dressing room, rear tack, excel. cond., \$12,500. Charlie Faul, Franklin, 70538; (337) 924-0025.

Trailer built on truck wheels, 8' x 16' w/lights, in good cond., \$1200. James Sisson, Grayson, 71435; (318) 649-7684.

40' Gooseneck tandem trailer, huten suspension, vacuum hydraulic brakes, (2) 10,000 lb. axles, 14 ply tires, good paint, deck, lights, great shape, \$4500. Sammy Miller, Iota, 70543; (337) 779-3141.

S & H Thundercloud, (2) horse trailer bumper pull, no rust, excel. cond., \$2500. M. Duke, Ventress, 70783; (225) 618-2483.

24' Gooseneck flatbed tandem axle trailer, 25,000 lb. capacity, 16' gooseneck heavy-duty tandem axle trailer, all steel, 25,000 lb. capacity, \$2500/1; customized WW 24' triple axle gooseneck

compost/chip trailer, all alum., including aerodynamic nose, 10' sides, deck plate flooring & rear door/ramp, custom tarp cover, \$7500. Cleon Harris, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-5930.

40' GN 2-12,000 lb. axles, new tires, toolbox, timber rock, vac/hyd. brakes, \$6000. Clint Billiot, Loranger, 70446; (985) 419-8475.

1994 4-star aluminum (3) horse slant, full living quarters, rear tack, 4000 BTU Onan generator, many extras, perfect rodeo trailer, \$25,000. Dan Nunez, Creole, 70632; (337) 542-4382 or (337) 370-3938.

(4) Wheel, rubber tire wagon, 20' x 5', new decking, new paint, ideal for trial ride, covered wagon or hay wagon, \$995. Charles Leger, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 585-7393.

8' x 20' flatbed gooseneck trailer, shop built, \$1200; 8' x 20' flatbed gooseneck trailer, factory built, \$1800, both in excel. cond. Carroll Gueho, Baton Rouge, 70808; (225) 766-2363.

24' Gooseneck (3) axle flatbed, w/ramp, \$1800. Buddy Wilson, Pollock, 71467; (318) 827-5572.

WW side-by-side, (2) horse trailer, very good cond., kept in barn, \$800 obo. Clifford Courville, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-1447.

Homemade gooseneck stock trailer, 5' x 16', in good cond., metal floor, \$1400. Jake Guillory, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7635.

19' Bumper bull, (3) axle, heavy-duty trailer, 6 ½' wide, ramps, heavy metal floor, \$1400. E. Ryan, Marksfield, 71351; (318) 240-7388.

2002 Stock trailer, heavy-duty, 16', wide inside, bumper pull, treated flooring, inside lighting, spare tire, heavy axles, buddy bearings, \$3950. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

Wagon, complete, rubber tires, shafts, tongue, double tree, single trees tongue, breast yoke, towbar, leather buggy harness, \$850. Jim White, Castor, 71016; (318) 544-2356.

2000 Model, 6' x 6'6" x 16' Gooseneck brand livestock trailer, pipe sides, tarp, old man hitch, spare tire, divider gate, \$3750. R. Rice, Lena, 71447; (318) 793-9484.

Gooseneck tandem flatbed trailer, 6'2" x 20', 10,000 lb. capacity, elec. brakes, new tires, w/loading ramps, good cond., \$1650. Russell Bonnet, Scott, 70583; (337) 235-1296.

24' Falcon gooseneck (2) 10K axles, flatbed trailer, elec. brakes, 10' deck over neck, (2) spare tires, & 4' side rails, \$5500; 19' Falcon gooseneck car hauler, dovetail, w/ramps & elec. brakes, \$1800. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

Sooner Legend 600 aluminum gooseneck horse trailer, slant 6, w/air cond. tack room, \$19,500. Deborah Parsons, Maurice, 70555; (337) 981-6226.

Antique mule drawn grain seed-er, mint cond., \$500. Frank Nicosia, Independence, 70443; (985) 878-4933.

Alumilite 6-horse, in line gooseneck trailer, w/tack room, all aluminum, including floor, hay/lug-

gage rack on roof, floating-bearing axles, \$7500. Cleon Harris, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-5930.

Used camper access., gas-hot water, central heater, stove, gas/elec. refrigerator /freezer, shower, inverter, \$1700. Anthony Huval, Breau Bridge, 70517; (337) 654-5503.

Donkey drawn cart, 3' x 6' flatbed, on two rubber tires, 14" spoke rimes, \$150. Mitchel Daire, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7108.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

300-Gal. poly tank on trailer, no pump, \$175; 250-gal sprayer, boom, \$275, offers considered. Nick Bruno, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2181.

16" Hereford roping saddle, great cond., \$400; 15" handmade barrel racing saddle, great cond., \$300. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-4630.

5 s/p, T/B chipper, vac, \$900. James Sisson, Grayson, 71435; (318) 645-7684.

Round pen, constructed of fiberglass material, each panel is 5' x 12', 50' pen, w/o bow gate, \$995; make as large as needed, add panels for, \$77/1. Larry Fontenot, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-0629.

Fiberglass farm gates, \$73/10'; \$79/12'. Deb Fontenot, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-0629.

Panels, 8', \$45/1; 10', \$48/1; 12', \$52; 16', \$62.5; auto head gate, \$350; hay rings, \$105, and much more. Celia Juneau, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-8478.

55-gal. metal drums, w/lids, \$10/1. M.J. Montagnino, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-2473.

Heartwood comm. band saw, 2-way cut, 6" dbl. edged blade, 80 hp, Perkins diesel, tandem axles, portable mill, 500 hrs., \$29,500. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

Priefert, model 85, cattle head catch, \$150; bumper pull hay dolly, carries one round bale, \$150; hay ring, good cond., \$45. Mitchel Daire, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7108.

16" Mike Meaux, Buster Welch tree cutting saddle, \$625. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Galv. horse & cattle panels, light-duty, 10', \$40/1; rd. pen, 60', \$750; regular, \$50/1; heavy-duty, 1 7/8" 16 gauge, \$65/1; galv. panels & pens, reg. duty 50' round pen, 1 7/8" x 16 gauge frame, 1 3/8" 18 gauge bars, includes 4' bow gate, \$820. Michael Passman, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5094.

"Courts" roping saddle, 16" seat, rawhide covered tree, extra nice, like new, \$450; "Big Horn" black parade saddle, 15" seat, lots of silver & tappaderos, matching silver breast collar, very good cond., \$500. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5556.

Right angle drive gear box, for 5' shredder, w/spare gears, \$75; rood trusses for 12' x 16', barn type storage shed, \$75. U. Rodrigue, Jr. Amite, 70422; (985) 652-3687.

(200) Used steel fence posts, good shape, \$1.5/1. M. D. Butler, Pineville, 71360; (318) 445-2736.

300-Gal. liquid feed tank, w/4 wheels & 250-gal of liquid feed, excel. cond., \$250, w/or w/o feed. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

Metal barrels, w/locking lids, \$10/1. E. H. Welch, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-8590.

Auto catch head gate, new cond., used little, kept under shed, \$175. Mike Martinez, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-9490.

3-Wheeler, 1986 Honda Big Red, good cond., \$2000. Clark McClendon, Folsom, 70437; (985) 502-7278.

Cattle squeeze chute, factory made, excel. cond., needs paint, \$500, or trade for horse walker, good cond. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6763.

1994 Patriot II sprayer, w/60' booms, 2350 hrs., 110 hp, JD engine, 1986 white Volvo nurse truck, 3000-gal. water tank, 350 cummins, both in good running cond., \$30,000/both, will sell together or separate. Johnny Allenday, Lake Charles, 70605; (337) 478-6269 or (337) 794-3017.

Lincoln welding machine, 200 amp, steel bed, boxes & welding lead, F-350 truck, \$5000. Raymond Burleigh, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-7005.

Savage pecan picker & nut husler pecan cleaner, \$10,000. J. Janis, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-7338.

5 hp steam boiler, w/all new valve fittings & gauges, tested, \$650 or trade. Paul Miller, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 664-3777.

17.5 KW diesel generator, factory enclosed unit, trailer mounted, good operating cond., \$550. Mike Sartin, Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-0100.

English saddle "Borellie", chestnut, 17" seat, all leather, padded flaps, knee rolls, cinch, new irons, w/rubber pads, solid, tree, \$125 obo. Roxanne Galliano, Jefferson, 70121; (504) 915-1926.

(50) Landscape timbers, \$1/1; fence wire, 2" x 4" x 6' high, horse wire, heavy gauge, twisted wire, \$75/ per 100 ft. Roger Maduell, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-8310.

9 Joints, 21' sch. 40 galv., 1" new pipe, plain ends, never used, \$16/1. Erole Kremer, Marrero, 70772; (504) 347-8751.

(2) Left hand bucking chutes mounted on skids, heavy-duty, in very good cond., \$1000/both, or trade for livestock. Bud Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3147.

(4) Old farm plows, \$100/all. G. Nugent, Dry Prong, 71423; (318) 899-5357.

New Corral panels, 5' x 10', \$40/1; 4' walk-through gate, \$75; 6' walk-through gate, \$95; 50' round pen, w/4' walk-through gate, \$675. Carl Barlow, Pride, 70770; (225) 603-5610.

Lincoln Z R8, 225 amp, AC DC welder, w/8 KW power plant AC stick or wirefeed 20 hp Kohler engine, \$2500, trailer avail. L. J. St. Germain, Montz, 70068; (985) 652-9089.

300-gal. fuel tank, w/stand, hose & fill up handle, \$300; heavy-duty "A" frame on dolly wheels, built w/heavy 4" pipe, \$200. Jean Romero, Erath,

70533; (337) 937-6777.

1250-Gal. bulk tank for storage, \$500. Paul Harrison, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-7780.

Galv. square tubing, 2 ¼" x 2 ¼", 81¢/ft.; 2 ½" x 2 ½", 95¢/ft.; 2" x 3", 89¢/ft. 7/8" x 7/8", 30¢/ft. Colton Terrell, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 514-0722.

500-Gal. propane tank, good for water, gas, diesel, etc., \$100. Clifford Courville, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-1447.

(2) Heavy-duty R2 18-14-30 tires, on 16" rim. William Barattini, Metairie, 70003; (504) 885-8000.

2 3/8" Tubing, 75¢/ft.; 2 7/8" tubing, 85¢/ft.; 3 ½" tubing, 95¢/ft.; 7" casing, \$5/ft.; 8 5/8" casing, \$6/ft. Trey Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

Tipps high pressure sand blaster, w/cougar valve, water blaster, ball bearing wheels, new, \$400, used once, \$250. Charles Williams, New Orleans, 70124; (504) 482-4990.

Asst. English tack: stirrups, leathers, seat-saver, saddle cushion, saddle pad, reins, martingale, \$10-25/1; full leather chaps, medium, never worn, \$50. Debby Sharbaugh, Ethel, 70722; (225) 683-4919 or (225) 937-0540.

24" Cast iron bell, w, O.S. Bell Co., \$1500 obo; 6' cypress water cistern, \$2000 obo; 12' x 24' cypress building, \$4000; 12' x 14' building, \$3000. Gary Hebert, Sr., Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-1817 or (225) 715-4942.

Wanted: Wisconsin VE, 4 motor, w/elec. starter, running or not. James Nichols, Winsboro, 71295; (318) 435-4688.

Wanted: American made lathe, band saw & other shop equipment. Greg DeKeyser, New Iberia, 70562; (337) 367-0214.

Wanted: horse walker, for 4 horses, in good cond. Kerry Vallet, Maringouin, 70757; (225) 625-3239.

Wanted: house moving beams, axles, etc. Cecil Gassiot, Woodworth, 71485; (318) 473-4678.

Wanted: squeeze chute, working cond., large. Anthony McGee, Reddell, 70580; (337) 468-3381.

FROM THE FARM

Please include a statement along with your ad indicating how the item has been or can be used on a farm.

(15) New bushel baskets \$26.25; (15) new peck baskets, w/handles, \$1.55/1 or \$23.25/all; (7) half bushel baskets, new, \$9.18. James Sisson, Grayson, 71435; (318) 649-7684.

Okra & green onion cutters, motorized electric, \$400/up, also hand operated okra cutters, \$90-\$120. Franklin Courville, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Goat milk soap, handmade, skin soothing, \$4/5-6 oz. bar, many varieties, all natural ingredients. Kathleen Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

Planter tubs, white plastic, approx. 30-gal. capacity, \$7.5/1. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond, 70403; (985) 345-1498.

Windmill, complete, 32' tower, pumping water, \$5000 obo. Jim White, Castor, 71016; (318) 544-2356.

Wanted: old grist mill or old mill stones, any size. Richard Eaves, Demopolis, Al, 36732; (334) 289-8906.

Wanted: your unwanted items. Chris Plaisance, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 262-0195.

Wanted: elec. meat cubing machine (cutlet machine). Carl Fontenot, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 751-4023 or (225) 772-1080.

FAIRS & FESTIVALS

Baton Rouge Bird Society will host the 2003 Bird Fair Sale and Swap May 3-4 at the Fraternal Order of Police Hall, 10777 Greenwell Springs Road, Baton Rouge. For more information, call Kathy Erwin at (225) 926-3207.

Cajun Radio Show live every Saturday night, 6 p.m.- 7:30 p.m., at the Liberty Theater in Eunice. Some of the guests will be John Wilson & Zydeco House Rockers,

Paul Daigle & Cajun Gold, David Fontenot & Cajun Express, Tony Thibodeaux & Cajun Five. For more information, call (337) 457-7389 or visit their Web site at www.eunice-la.com

Region 4 Little Britches Rodeo May 4, 10 a.m., at the Burton Ag. Arena in Lake Charles; May 11, 10 a.m., at the Burton Ag. Arena in Lake Charles. Don't forget to enter the Monday before each rodeo. For more information, contact Bobbie Darbonne at (337) 762-3921.

Ron McLoughlin Free Seminar, May 13, from 7-9 p.m., at the Ike Hamilton Expo Center in West Monroe. Come and meet Ron

McLoughlin and other horse handling enthusiasts. For more information, contact Kiaziah Allen at (318) 878-1971.

The Mount Lebanon Historical Society will Host the Annual Stage Coach Trail Day & Quilt Show May 3 beginning 11:30 a.m. in Mount Lebanon. For more information, contact Elizabeth Towns at (318) 843-6255.

Daylily Festival and Garden Show May 31, 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m., at Magdalen Square in Abbeville. Admission is free. For more information, contact Stuart Gauthier at (337) 898-4335 or (337) 291-7090.

The University of Louisiana-

Monroe is offering a horseback riding summer camp June 9-13 and June 16-20. Space is limited. Camp includes swimming, horseback riding, field trips and other activities. For more information, contact Kiaziah Allen (318) 878-1971.

Circle H Summer Horseback Riding Camp is offering a horseback riding summer camp June 2-6 and June 23-27. Camps begin promptly at 8 a.m. and ends at 5 p.m. There will be swimming, horseback riding, trail riding, roping, talent contest and more. For more information, contact Kiaziah Allen (318) 878-1971.



Jammin' in Louisiana

Blueberry Jam

4 cups blueberries, about 2 pints
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon grated orange peel
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup orange juice

In medium saucepan, combine blueberries, sugar and orange peel. Heat five minutes, crushing berries slightly. Bring to a boil, boil rapidly, stirring constantly, for one minute. In a small bowl sprinkle unflavored gelatin over orange juice. Let stand one minute. Add to blueberry mixture and heat, stirring until gelatin is completely dissolved, about three minutes. Let jam stand five minutes. Jar, cover and cool slightly before refrigerating.

Peach Jam

8 cups sugar
6 cups crushed peaches
1 can crushed pineapple
1 (6 ounce) box orange gelatin

Cook sugar, peaches and pineapple together for 20 minutes. Add gelatin. Pour in sterilized jars and seal or freeze.

Strawberry Jam

4 cups frozen strawberries
2 cups grape juice
6 tablespoons corn starch
4 tablespoons honey
3/4 teaspoon lemon juice

Dissolve cornstarch in juice using wire whisk. Boil until clear, stirring often. Add rest of ingredients and cook until berries are barely thawed. Remove from heat and mash berries with a potato masher. Refrigerate. Servings: 4 cups.

Diabetic Blueberry Jam

2 tablespoons lemon juice
3 teaspoons unflavored gelatin
1/8 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 teaspoon arrowroot
2 1/2 cup frozen unsweetened blueberries, partially thawed
Non-nutritive sweetener equivalent to 2 cups sugar

Mix lemon juice, gelatin, salt and arrowroot; stir in blueberries. Boil gently until mixture thickens, stirring constantly (about 3-4 minutes). Stir constantly, boiling at full boil for 2 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in sweetener. Fill and seal jars.

Strawberry Diabetic Jam

1 cup berries
3/4 cup sugar-free strawberry flavored soda
1 package strawberry sugar-free gelatin
3 packets Equal

Mash the berries, add strawberry flavored soda and cook 1 minute. Remove from heat and stir in gelatin until dissolved. Stir in sweetener and pour in jars. Seal and store in refrigerator. Yield 1 1/4 cups. You may use other fruits such as raspberries, peaches or cherries.

Coming Your Way

Rodeo in Gonzales

Ascension Equestrian Inc. will hold a rodeo at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 3, at the Ascension Equestrian Arena in Gonzales. Slack will be held at 3 p.m.

For more information, contact Phillip Broussard at (225) 675-8592.

Farm sale at Tech

The Louisiana Tech University Farm Production Sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 3, at the Equine Center Arena at the university's South Campus.

Quarter horses, paint horses, heifers, steers, hogs and lambs will be available.

For more information, contact Dr. Gary Kennedy at (318) 257-3275 or visit www.livestocksale.latech.edu.

May horse shows

The South Louisiana Saddle Club is holding open horse shows at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 3, and Saturday, May 17, at Churchill Farms Arena, 10205 Lapalco, in Westwego.

More than 30 halter, Western performance, fun and timed events are available. Entry fee is \$5 each or six for \$20.

First through seventh place rosettes will be awarded with points going toward \$25,000 in year-end awards. New members and beginners are welcome.

For more information, contact Dudley Hartz at (504) 835-0614 or www.southlouisianasaddleclub.com.

Houma bull bash, horse show in May

Terrebonne Livestock will host its third open horse show Sunday, May 11 at the Houma Airbase Arena.

Judged events begin at 9 a.m. and speed events are set to start after noon.

More than 40 high point of the day awards will be presented. Points accumulate toward end-of-the-year saddle and buckle awards.

For more information, contact Brian at (985) 532-9972 or Veronica at (985) 665-1005.

Saturday, May 17, the group will hold the first Cody Antil Memorial Bull Bash at the Houma Airbase Arena.

For more information, contact Donna at (985) 594-7545 or Wayne at (985) 594-5656.

Assoc. hosts shows

The Livingston Horse Show Association will host horse shows May 10 and May 31 at the Southpark Arena in Denham Springs. Both shows begin promptly at 9 a.m.

The association has planned seven more shows throughout the year.

For more information, contact DeLois Senez at (225) 664-3150 or JoLynn Allen at (225) 665-0335.

Soybean-fueled biodiesel industry gaining momentum

Biodiesel is the latest entrant in the race for new fuels to supplement petroleum diesel. Extracted from many oil seeds, primarily soybeans in the United States, biodiesel use has benefited from surging motor fuel prices and an ever-greater need to unshackle the U.S. from foreign oil.

Joe Jobe, executive director of the National Biodiesel Board, said that use of up to 20 percent biodiesel blended into conventional diesel fuel has increased dramatically in recent years.

"In four years we have gone from 500,000 gallons in 1999 to close to 20 million gallons in 2002. We expect those trends to continue. There is a significant amount of momentum out there right now," Jobe told a large gathering of interested industry participants at the annual biodiesel conference in New Orleans recently.

Biodiesel use is expanding rapidly in regulated truck and car fleet vehicles. Some 300 fleets nationwide are currently using a combination of 20 percent biodiesel and 80 percent conventional diesel. Fleet use includes vehicles for federal and state governments, all branches of the U.S. military, public transportation and public utilities.

The price of biodiesel is higher, from five cents to 20 cents a gallon for the 20 percent blend. "That may seem like a lot but it's really the difference between regular and premium gas and there are a tremendous number of benefits not available with conventional diesel," Jobe said.

Those shaping markets and policy showed up in New Orleans to learn more about the burgeoning industry, Jobe said. The market drivers included engine manufacturers, petroleum companies, bio-diesel manufacturers and support industry groups. The policy drivers were those focusing on "the need for renewable energy, the need for energy security and the need for environmental and emissions benefits," Jobe said.

Particularly, he said, the push is spurred by the need to enhance U.S. energy security in the face of increasing worldwide instability in South America and the Middle East.



Joe Jobe

all the more urgent."

"The biodiesel industry in the United States was started by soybean farmers," Jobe said, adding that soybean farmers have invested more than \$30 million through state and national checkoff programs in biodiesel research. Some 3229 soybean farmers in Louisiana produced nearly \$102 million in soybeans on 770,000 acres in 2002.

Oil and meal are the two products derived from crushed soybeans. There are multiple uses for large quantities of soybean meal, but correspondingly few uses for soybean oil, which has the U.S. awash in surplus soybean oil.

"The reason that soybean farmers in particular are interested in using biodiesel as a domestic energy resource is because there is a growing global surplus of triglycerides, that is, vegetable oils. In the U.S. that is primarily soybean oil," Jobe said.

Meal is used to feed livestock – beef, pork and poultry both in the U.S., and increasingly, around the world. Industrialization worldwide is bringing more affluence in developing countries. The resulting affluence means more livestock being fed soybean meal and more meat from that livestock in the diets of citizens in those countries.

But aside from cooking oils and salad dressings, U.S. demand for the oil remnants of crushed soybeans is woefully short.

In its cover story, February 17, U.S. News and World Report featured biodiesel and ethanol under the heading, "As war looms, the search for new energy alternatives is

This is not the case among the European Union. In the EU, because of a nearly total lack of native petroleum oil supplies, countries there have had to move more rapidly to alternative motor fuels.

"In Europe they have a mature biodiesel industry. About half of the passenger vehicles in Europe are diesel. And about half of the diesel engines running in Europe use a three percent to five percent blend of biodiesel," Jobe said.

Once the glycerin, the fatty content, is removed from soybean oil, "it is chemically similar to diesel fuel in a diesel engine. It has similar horsepower, torque, performance characteristics and BTU content."

Not only is the need for energy security in the United States supporting a promising future for biodiesel, Jobe said, but its use is also being augmented by environmental mandates which require that by 2007 there must be a 97 percent reduction in polluting sulfur in diesel fuel.

While sulfur is a pollutant, it is also an engine lubricant. Removing sulfur from diesel fuel leaves the engine without sufficient lubrication.

"Biodiesel is so effective as a lubricant that as little as two percent biodiesel can improve lubricity by as much as 65 percent. Biodiesel is uniquely positioned to address the challenges of the 2007 mandate because it has no sulfur," Jobe said.

In addition to a number of biodiesel refineries in the Midwest – the heart of soybean farming in the U.S. – refinery facilities are on the rise around the nation. "There are five manufacturing facilities in California. There is one in Florida. Facilities are going up in the Mid-Atlantic region and in Texas. It's really getting geographically dispersed," Jobe said.

"As of now, which was not the case a year ago, biodiesel is available through distributors anywhere in the states of Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Minnesota and Iowa. Those states have seen such significant and swift integration that in one year a customer can get biodiesel almost anywhere he wants."

First Quarter 2003 Rain Data

Location	Year to Date	Norm	Location	Year to Date	Norm
Northwest			East Central		
Coushatta	14.27	N/A	Bogalusa	13.10	18.18
LSU-Bossier City	10.36	13.55	LSU-Clinton	16.90	17.29
Minden	11.25	14.76	LSU-Hammond	11.53	17.59
Extreme/Average	11.96	12.61	Slidell	9.91	17.22
North Central			Extreme/Average	12.86	16.55
LSU-Calhoun	11.80	16.11	Southwest		
LTI-Ruston	10.20	15.57	DeQuincy	13.78	14.21
ULM-Monroe	11.69	16.79	Jennings	11.89	14.29
Winnfield	13.53	15.89	LSU-Crowley	11.80	14.65
Extreme/Average	11.81	14.83	Extreme/Average	12.49	13.26
Northeast			South Central		
Lake Providence	10.35	17.10	Donaldsonville	8.12	15.46
LSU-St. Joseph	17.31	17.35	LSU-Jeanerette	8.63	13.74
LSU-Winnsboro	14.63	16.56	Morgan City	5.05	14.76
Tallulah	12.50	17.18	Extreme/Average	7.27	13.61
Extreme/Average	13.70	16.13	Southeast		
West Central			Galliano	11.70	15.81
Leesville	9.31	15.48	Houma	7.82	14.83
LSU-Rosepine	9.52	15.37	NO Audubon Park	11.36	15.29
Natchitoches	11.12	15.27	Reserve	9.42	17.29
Extreme/Average	9.98	14.02	Extreme/Average	10.08	15.22
West Central			State Average		
Alexandria	15.89	16.54	11.91	14.73	
Brusly	12.45	16.75	For weekly rain information visit the		
Bunkie	16.92	16.90	Web site		
LSU-Alexandria	11.68	15.98	www.losc.lsu.edu		
Extreme/Average	14.24	15.67	and click on the "weekly reports" link		

EPA proposes curbing diesel engine pollution

Associated Press

The Bush administration proposed reductions greater than 90 percent in air pollution from diesel-powered farm, construction and other off-road equipment on April 15, predicting the curbs would prevent thousands of premature deaths, heart attacks and respiratory ailments.

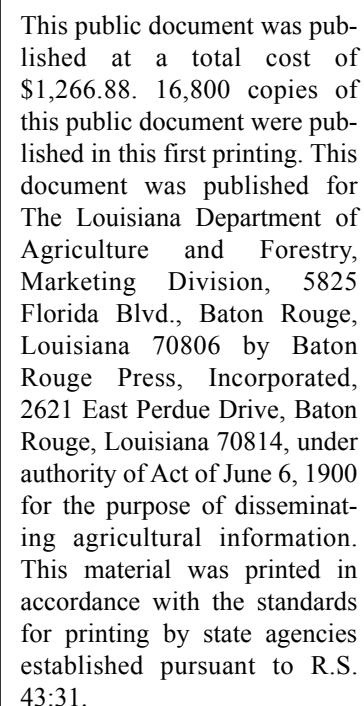
The changes would start with 2008 models, and all bulldozers, farm combines and other diesel-powered equipment not used on roads must have modern emission controls by 2014. Cleaner burning diesel fuel would have to contain 99 percent less sulfur by 2010.

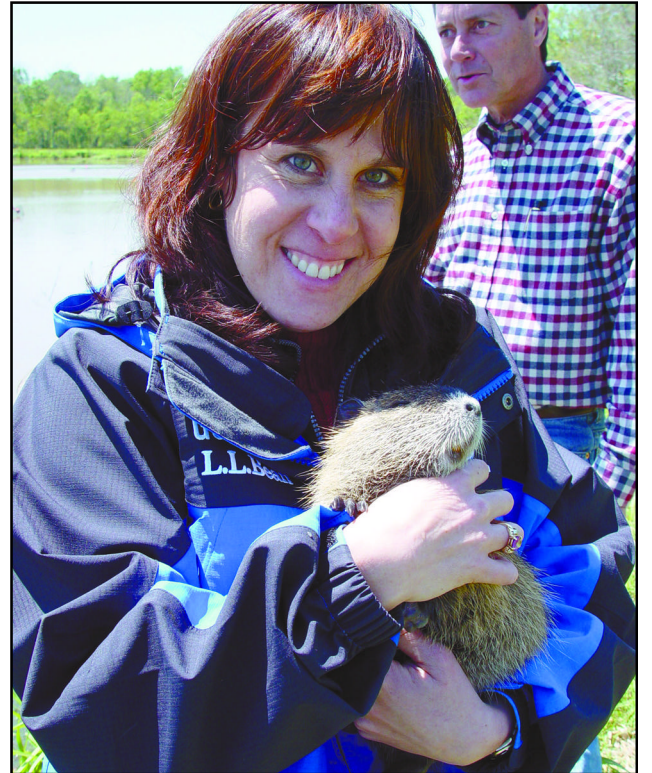
Diesel vehicles are responsible for large amounts of the microscopic soot that causes respiratory problems and smog-causing chemicals from motor vehicles, with construction, farm, mining, locomotive and marine engines the main sources of off-road diesel pollution.

The new engine pollution requirements are part of a broader push by the Environmental Protection Agency to reduce tailpipe emissions from diesel-powered vehicles. The latest proposal builds on a 2001 rule ordering pollution cuts from heavy-duty diesel engines and diesel fuel used in highway trucks and buses.

EPA also has imposed tougher emissions requirements for diesel locomotive engines.

The agency estimates that, by 2030, its latest proposal will prevent 9,600 premature deaths, 16,000 heart attacks and 260,000 respiratory problems in children.





Weather Channel finds blue skies & blue crawfish in La.

Recently, with no meteorological disaster on the horizon, a field production crew from The Weather Channel paid a visit to south Louisiana.

Always on the lookout for unique ways weather affects our daily lives, field producer Michelle Birnbaum and camera operator Kent Saunders, traveled to St. Martin Parish with one question: "How does the weather affect the annual crawfish catch?"

"We've come to Louisiana today to do a story on the crawfish industry," said Birnbaum, a five-year veteran with The Weather Channel based in Atlanta. "We want to know how weather dependent is the indus-

try. What weather do you need to get a really good harvest? Everything from The Weather Channel perspective has to do with the weather," Birnbaum added.

Visits to a crawfish processing plant in Catahoula, a trip with a fisherman into the Atchafalaya Swamp and a crawfish farm were on the mid-April itinerary.

The first stop was Catahoula Crawfish, a firm that buys and sells live crawfish as well as peeled product.

Owner Terry Guidry greeted Birnbaum and Saunders warmly and directed them to a small bucket of blue crawfish.

"About one in 150,000 crawfish are blue. Don't ask me why," Guidry said.

Kent immediately broke out the camera and began to shoot footage of everything from the crawfish plant's receiving dock to the packing room, pausing briefly to wipe the camera's lens, fogged by the vapor of the steaming crawfish on the peeling tables.

Next on the schedule is a journey into the Atchafalaya Basin with Crawfisherman Clint Boudreaux.

Boudreaux, dressed in a layered camouflage jump suit and calf-high rubber boots, skillfully guided his utilitarian 20-foot aluminum boat to an area of the swamp he mysteriously called Cocodrie.

Kent contorted his body at a crazy angle to record Boudreaux's lifting of the deep-water traps while Michelle took notes and asked questions.

Boudreaux was disappointed with the haul. "We should be getting five or six pounds per trap," he said.

Boudreaux said the main effect the weather has on crawfish is the water level. "The water is dropping. Soon we won't be able to get our boats back here. We need to have at least nine feet at the Butte La Rose marker to have enough water to fish," Boudreaux said.

Birnbaum and Saunders have lunch at Pat's Waterfront Restaurant in Henderson. A big bowl of choice, boiled crawfish rounded off the meal.

Birnbaum, a New Yorker, and Saunders, a Virginian, received instructions in proper peeling technique and managed to consume the serving.

Birnbaum explained that The Weather Channel hurricane coverage of Louisiana is safe. "We will never be in a place that's dangerous," Birnbaum said.

"A perfect example was last year with Hurricane Lili. They debated how far south to place us, based on how strong the storm was. When it was coming in, it was a category five, so they wouldn't put us any farther south than Lafayette. But once it reduced strength, we got as far south as New Iberia. If there's a mandatory evacuation, we will evacuate," Birnbaum said.

Saunders said Louisiana's unique coastline poses a problem for visual hurricane coverage.

"There's no coastline. It's a lot of marshland, which I don't think people really understand," Saunders lamented. "It's kind of hard to get the nice splashing wave shots of a hurricane in Louisiana because of the marshland."

The last stop is Russell Robin's 40-acre crawfish pond, which is also in Henderson. They meet Robin's crawfish farming niece, Anna, who introduces the two to Gil, the Robin's pet baby nutria. Gil scurries around the bottom of the boat, right at home, as Anna takes The Weather Channel crew on a tour of the crawfish pond.

Birnbaum and Saunders are intrigued by the number of snakes hiding in the grassy banks of the pond's levees.

After the trip on Robin's pond-customized crawfish boat, complete with an aluminum sacking trough and grading machine, Saunders hooked the 62-year-old Russell to a microphone for an interview. For the sound check, Saunders asked Robin to count to ten. Robin obliged: "*Une, deux, trois, quatre...*"

Birnbaum peppered him with questions about south Louisiana weather and crawfish production.

"The weather is not as crucial for pond crawfish as it is for deep-water; the more rain and snow, the better for the basin. If there's no water..." Robin finished his statement with a definite Cajun shrug.

Birnbaum and Saunders' two-minute feature on crawfish aired on "Your Weather Today" in late April.



Camera operator Kent Saunders and field producer Michelle Birnbaum of The Weather Channel experience Louisiana boiled crawfish for the first time at Pat's Fisherman's Wharf in Henderson (top left). Blue crawfish like the one at Catahoula Crawfish Inc. are extremely rare. Birnbaum holds crawfish farmer Anna Robin's pet nutria, Gil (top right). Saunders leans over the side of the boat to film Crawfisherman Clint Boudreaux (above). Robin sits on an aluminum grading machine in her customized crawfish boat (right).

